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[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO JULY 26.

Disastrous Fire in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 26.—There is an immense fire in the heart of the city. The Pennsylvania Sugar Refinery is destroyed. The fire is spreading. Loss estimated at $500,000. The refinery of Newball & Co., seven stories high, filled with valuable machinery and a large stock of sugar is destroyed, and the surrounding stores are much damaged. The leather store of J. F. Hulsemann two blocks off, caught fire from sparks and was burned.

The North Carolina Troubles.

RALEIGH, July 26.—The Governor refuses to surrender to Chief Justice Parson. The citizens of Alamance county, held by Kirk, are said to number over one hundred. Holden is also said to have ordered a military commission to assemble to try persons under arrest.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Baron Geralt has received the following dispatch from his Government: Public opinion in England is favorable to North Germany, but the Government is not favorable. She acts with the neutrality law against North Germany, as she did against America with the *Alabama*.

BY THE CABLES.

PARIS, July 26.—A large number of workmen are engaged on the fortifications in Paris.

The *Marseillaise* has been suspended. Some of its editors and reporters have gone to the French army.

Switzerland is reported full of German emigrants to escape military duty.

The bank of France will probably soon suspend specie payments. It already declines to pay out gold, and is redeeming only in silver.

The extreme rigor with which the French in Germany are treated, while Germans in France are in no way molested or restricted, was complained of in the Council of Ministers to-day.

Henri Rochefort was arrested in Blois, and is in charge of gens d'armes.

LONDON, July 26.—The Prince of Wales has gone to Denmark to influence that country to be strictly neutral.

The Prussian authorities have granted permission for newspaper correspondents to follow the army.

The Prussians are concentrating a powerful force at Mayence. They are using balloons for observation.

The *Pall Mall Gazette*, now that the real designs of the French Emperor are revealed, counsels England to make every preparation for war.

The French forces at Theonville are estimated at 300,000.

The French report another cavalry skirmish near Metz, and claim that the Prussians were beaten with a loss of three officers.

LONDON, July 26.—A special from Strasburg, received to-day, says the *elite* of the French army is now concentrated at Strasburg and Belfont. The Algerian forces consisting of zouaves and turcos reached Strasburg on the 24th and to-day took up a position at Belfont, close to the Baden line. Sixteen squadrons chasseurs d'Afrique arrived to-day via Lyons.

Dispatches from Theonville, Staveld, Metz and Bitsche state that the army has commenced to move to the frontier. The Imperial Guard has already started.

It is now thought certain that the Emperor designs closing in on the Prussians between Theonville and Weinsemberg, throwing his army on the German side of the Rhine. This army is composed of three corps.

An attack will be made by the Baltic fleet on Stielsund, north of Berlin.

France denies the authenticity of the secret treaty said to have been offered to Prussia.

In the House of Commons Gladstone, in reply to questions of Torrens, says negotiations for the settlement of the *Alabama* claims stood where they did a year and a half ago, the United States having declined the offer made by England, the next advance is due from the American Government.

Granville, in the House of Lords, again referred to the draft for a secret treaty. He had an interview with the French Ambassador, who told him that the treaty originated with Bismark; that it never had a serious basis and was rejected by both parties. The Ambassador protested that France actually desires to maintain peace with Belgium, England and Holland.

Gladstone informed the House that advices from Berlin settling the authenticity of the *Times'* information regarding the alleged treaty was hourly expected. The British Minister had telegraphed that the dispatch containing the original propositions of Napoleon embodied in the treaty was executed in Benadotte's hand writing. Otway, Under Foreign Secretary, declined to make any communication or express any opinion or proposal made by Napoleon to annex Holland.

FLORENCE, July 26.—Minister Renosia assured the House of Deputies that it may not yield to any pressure from France.

COPENHAGEN, July 25.—The Danish Government has issued a proclamation of neutrality.

MADRID, July 26.—The danger of the Carlists rising is not yet over, and the Government is redoubling its precautions.

Cuban Affairs.

HAVANA, July 26.—During a recent engagement with the insurgents of Holquin and Puerto Principe over 220 insurgents were killed.

The *Tomahawk*, an English satirical journal, publishes the prospectus of a new paper, to be called the *Daily Dustbin*, to be composed, as its name implies, "of all those well known ingredients that secure for a London newspaper its success." The following constitute some of the special recommendations:

The reporting will be faithful and amusing. The "Man-Woman Case" will be made an especial feature, and full and interesting accounts will be published of the trial from day to day.

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To secure these most desirable ends, the Ministers of the day will be toadied to their hearts' content. A special wire will be laid on between Fleet street and Downing street, and everything will be done that can be effected to secure the dinner cards of the Premier's wife.

Sensational, Nasty subjects will be treated with poetical lewdness. Dirty ideas will be seasoned with stories from Lempriere and selections from the *Dictionary of Quotations*.

In fact, the proprietors of the *Dustbin* will conduct their paper in a spirit suggestive of the loftiest Christian aspirations, coupled with a commercial enterprise worthy of the best days of the Mosaic dispensation.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of Norfolk has just been held to consider the proposed subscription of $1,000,000 to the Norfolk and Great Western railroad. The proposed subscription was strongly indorsed by the meeting, several speakers being of the opinion that Norfolk should wait no longer for improvements to be made by outside parties, but that her citizens should go to work themselves to better their condition. Norfolk has a great future, and her citizens are evidently waking up to the necessity of bestirring themselves in the matter of improvements. A little energy exerted in the right direction will make the city one of the most important in a commercial view of any in the United States.

SET IT ON THE DOORSTEP. I serenaded Sophia once when she was a tender lass, and the greeting which I received for my musical display has never been fully appreciated by me. It was in the witching hour of night, when churches yawn. Everything hushed, and stillness reigned profound. I commenced to sing, "I Bring a Little Flower to Thee." Sophia was at her window to enjoy my harmony. It was through her solicitations that I endeavored to warble this precious piece, "I Bring a Little Flower to Thee." Sophia's tyrannical papa stuck his head out of the window and in voice of thunder roared, "Well, just set it on the doorstep, and don't make so much fuss about such a wretched little flower."

THE WAR IN EUROPE.

FIGHTING RESOURCES OF THE GREAT POWERS

[From the New York Herald, July 8.

"To cook a hare catch one," is an ancient and trite but very practical recommendation. To get up a war is easy enough, but to carry on a war is another thing. Neither individuals nor communities will long go about through the world "blue-moulded," like Pat at Donnybrook Fair, "for want of a batin'," without being accommodated first or last. Such seems to be precisely the state of mind that Prussia has reached with her enormous military establishment, and such, too, the humor of France laying down the law to all Europe. But how are they and their allies on either side, prepared for the issue? Ay, there's the rub.

France, the military Colossus of the West has, according to the latest and most accurate advices, under the new laws recently carried into effect, 414,612 soldiers on the peace footing, 647,271 of a field army, or 1,350,000 men in all for her entire ordinary war strength. Of these 370,000 men are ready to march at the tap of the drum on the outbreak of hostilities.

Austria, which, correctly or incorrectly, is regarded as the inevitable ally of France, has 278,470 men on the peace establishment, 838,700 of war strength, or 300,000 fully prepared to move. Could the South German Confederation, or group of States be secured on the same side, they have 66,540 men on the peace or 184,606 on the war footing, with 107,000 of these prepared for instant service. Such a coalition would give France the control of 777,000 fighting men at once with a reserve of 1,596,206 trained soldiers.

On the other hand Prussia has 726,000 men on the peace or 1,266,000 on the war footing, with 300,000 on the war footing, with 300,000 now ready for operations on her Western frontier. North Germany, going with Prussia, has 315,526 on the peace, 551,093 on the field or 914,323 on the war footing, of which 546,000 are instantly available. This would place at Prussian disposal 846,000 men for the first moment and 1,364,321 in reserve. Should she be able to manage Southern Germany for her cause she would have 1,053,000 men, or 176,000 more than France to move at once, or quite enough to cope with her and Austria together, for the time being, with all the advantages of a common language and position. This would leave Prussia still a reserve of 1,441,727 men, or only 154,399 less than that of France and Austria coalesced, a difference swamped to the extent of nearly 90,000 men by her superiority of immediate force.

The inquiry now arises as to what would be the course of the adjacent Powers. France has seriously angered Italy, and the latter is reported to have formed a defensive, if not an offensive, alliance with Prussia. In such case, the latter being attacked by France, the Italians, out of a force of 376,721 on a war footing, with 197,000 of a reserve, or 573,721 in all, could spare possibly 200,000 men to operate on the French frontier or hold a hostile corps in check. The direct and open participation of Russia is hardly expected unless circumstances should force her into the melee. In that case she could dispose of about 250,000 men from about 700,000 composing her army in Europe, including the Cossacks. She could take no other course by family alliance, position and the recollection of Crimean wounds, than to aid Prussia. Sweden and Denmark would, if they dared to move at all, have to go in the same direction, with about 50,000 men. Thus Italy, the Czar and Scandinavia would bring King William 500,000 men—a force that, with South German aid, would place him 430,000 ahead of France, allowing England, Belgium, Holland and Switzerland to remain neutral a proviso difficult to admit in such a universal conflict. As for Spain, it is clear that, should she accept the Hohenzollern prince, she would cast all the little strength she has for Prussia. Should she reject Leopold the war issue would cease, and these speculations become needless.

The naval forces of the respective powers we do not here introduce, for the reason that the result would be chiefly decided by land and quickly, as the geographical position of the belligerents indicates. We reserve that branch of the subject for another day, but may in the meanwhile, remark that the French navy is quite equal to all the rest of Europe (excepting England) combined, in a fighting point of view.

The general deduction from this *apercu* of facts is plainly that should all Germany go with Prussia, and other Powers stand aloof, France, even if aided by Austria, would have to make up by discipline, enthusiasm and gallantry for a heavy discrepancy of numbers. Should she, however, rival in these days the wild energy of the Revolutionary Directory, which hurled fourteen armies against the invading strangers and hunted them back to their own capitals, she might still reap fresh triumphs. Her terrible Chassepots and rifled revolving steel cannon are quite equal, if not superior to anything Prussia has, and she possesses shallow iron-clad gunboats for river service that might scour the navigable Rhine and its tributaries. Again on the other hand, should Russia, Italy and Scandinavia, too, be forced against her, then, indeed, the odds would be alarming.

Such, then, are the military aspects of the case, so far as mere numerical array is concerned, without considering the revolutionary effervescence now rife over Western Europe, the great trades-union movement, the general drought in France and Spain, and the peculiar condition of finance. Each of these elements must be carefully and separately weighed, but in the meanwhile the spectacle at this moment presented to the world is another convincing proof of the folly, wickedness and continual danger of maintaining enormous standing armies in the very centre of Christendom.

KILLED BY A RATTLESNAKE. The Savannah *Advertiser* says:

A fearful death from the effects of the poison of that venomous reptile, the rattlesnake, occurred day before yesterday, near the Middle Ground Road, the victim being a young colored girl, named Lucinda White, who was engaged at the time, in company with another woman in picking huckleberries. The companion of Lucinda states that as they were about stepping over a fallen tree that lay in the path, the latter in advance, she almost stepped on the snake, which had coiled up ready to spring upon hearing the approaching footsteps and rustling in the bushes. As quick as a flash the repulsive head of the creature sprung forward, striking the startled victim on the hand, surely and fatally, as the sequel shows. The two women at once started for some house at a distance for the purpose of getting an antidote; but after walking a few rods so violent was the poison, Lucinda sunk down, utterly incapable of going farther. Her companion hastened on, but her return with some colored people shortly after, proved of no avail, for the poor girl had breathed her last, and was a swollen hideous corpse.

Stories about the curious antics of lightning are plentiful this season. While a man in Elko, Cal., was recently at work on a telegraph wire, with the end of it in his hand, a flash struck the line some distance away, instantly split three of his fingers, passed up his arm, across his breast and down his side, darting out at his knee, leaving a blackened orifice like a bullet-hole, and plunged into the ground. The man was knocked senseless, but soon recovered, and professed to feel all the better for the little shock. The sensation, he said, was not very painful, but seemed like the pricking of sharp pins.

CURRENT NOTES.

Governor Palmer of Illinois and other ex-military gentlemen are talking of going to Europe to take lessons in the art of war.

A venerable couple in Jennings county, Ind., after living together peaceably for forty years, got into a quarrel over the sale of a cow and separated for the remnant of their days.

Miss Phelps, whose success began with "Gates Ajar," is said to be making more money than any American female writer: and yet during her school days she was considered the most stupid in her class.

Theodore B. Pryor, son of the ex-rebel General Roger A. Pryor, who graduated at Princeton College this year, took higher degrees than have been taken at that college since the graduation of Aaron Burr.

Mayor Shurtleff is talked of in Boston as the next Democratic candidate for Governor. The "Young Democracy" think he will run better than Adams and will have a good chance to defeat Gov. Claflin.

Dr. Prime predicts that within the life of some now living there will be a union of all Evangelical Christians of New York. The *Protestant Churchman* re-echoes warmly the belief, and Mr. Beecher indorses in the *Church Union*.

A resolution passed the Senate just before adjournment giving the bronze ordnance captured in the battles in which he took part, for an equestrian statue of the late Secretary Rawlins, to be placed in some of the public grounds of Washington.

There have been treated at the Boston Dispensary during the past fourteen years 275,051 patients, and during the same period 589,689 recipes have been given out. It was established in 1796, and is one of the oldest charities in Boston.

P. S. Gilmore has been in Washington invoking diplomatic assistance to get the principal military bands of Europe to come over to his great International Jubilee next season. It is understood, however, that the military bands of France and Prussia have other engagements just now, of indefinite duration.

The Washington correspondent of the Newark *Advertiser* claims that the first cast-iron plow ever made in America was invented by Charles Newbold, of New Jersey. The letters-patent were issued in 1797, and were signed by John Adams as President, and Timothy Pickering as Secretary of State. This original plow is now deposited in the museum of the New York State Agricultural Society.

Daniel Webster's Latin grammar is now the property of Capt. Keating, of Monroe, Wisconsin. In a laudable desire to see into the book the youthful owner cut his initials into the leather cover. Inside is written, "Daniel Webster, his property, Exeter, Nov. 9th, 1794. Price, 1s. 5d.," and upon a fly leaf is the admirable maxim: "Strive to be eminent and excellent in all things that are praiseworthy, for this is good."

A Government steamer has arrived at Charleston, S. C., from Rio Janeiro, having on board all the self-made exiles from the South to Brazil. They went there at the close of the war, determined to nurse their "lost cause" theories in a foreign land, but as they were unable to earn a livelihood when left to their own resources, they became so sunk in poverty that they had to be brought back to their deserted homes at the expense of the United States Government.

The President and the Malcontents.

[From the Chicago Republican.]

The cool, quiet, and careful way in which President Grant administers the government is in the last degree galling to Democrats and soreheads. He has not deflected a hair's breadth from the course originally promised. He has not taken his highest officers and counselors from mere politicians, but sought for sterling honesty and tried ability. He has had no disposition to keep the people excited over diplomatic quarrels, or through mixing in the domestic affairs of other nations; hence the quiet and peace the country enjoys. Our internal policy has been based firmly upon the advance principles of advanced Republicanism, in its broadest sense. The laws have been enforced: the revenues collected and honestly applied; dishonest officials dismissed, and taxation and debt steadily diminished.

In the eye of faction, all this amounts to nothing. Because the National Executive has not informed the people *why* he has made some changes, or assigned a reason *why* he prefers a Murphy to a Grinnell, in the New York Custom-House, or some other persons in some other places, he is loudly denounced as being no statesman, but only a blunderer. His action is regarded as entirely too cool and tame for the mere adherents of faction. They can no more comprehend this style of conducting public affairs than the rebel armies his plan of a campaign. While his honesty of purpose is not questioned, and his patriotic devotion to the country is admitted, the petty details of administration are selected for animadversion and magnified through the lens of a disordered imagination. What the people want is an honest, firm purpose to do right, and they care nothing about the complaints and vaporings of individuals who may happen to get their sensibilities hurt when they are compelled to give way to equally good or better men. The solid good sense and sterling qualities of head and heart of the President, are growing more and more popular, and becoming more and more appreciated by the people. They know he does not make or unmake tariffs, or control currency, or regulate commerce. He administers the laws. That is his mission, and no incumbent of his office has ever done it more thoroughly or with greater sincerity and singleness of purpose for the general good.

FINE VIEW.—The editor of the Virginia City *Enterprise* has a delightful view from his sanctum window. In the distance is the winding Carson, with its groves of cottonwoods, and scattered among the hills in the foreground are eight public and private graveyards.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

G. A. R. Baker Post No. 1.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month in third story, No. 102 First street. All comrades in good standing invited to attend.
By order of POST COMMANDER.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street.
By order of M. E. H. P.

U. A. O. D.—Regular meetings of Myrtle Grove, No. 2, on Thursday evening of each week, at 8 o'clock, in Druid's Hall, Front street, near Stark. Members of Sister Groves and sojourning Brethren are cordially invited to attend.
A. J. MARSHALL, N. A.
L. J. BULLARD, R. S. mr9dtf

Multnomah Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M., holds regular Councils every Monday evening at the Eighth Run, at Oregon Wigwam, in Carter's building, corner Alder and Front Sts.
my6dtf By order of THE SACHEM.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

The Daily Oregonian

THURSDAY MORNING [illegible] 18[illegible]

England, France and Belgium

[illegible] part of the [illegible] France [illegible] for the [illegible] of England [illegible]. That solicitude [illegible] England and [illegible] relationship has [illegible] the mother of Victoria [illegible] of Kent was a Princess of Saxe Coburg and her late husband was of the same family. Leopold the late King of the Belgians was also a member of the Coburg family and uncle to Victoria and Prince Albert. His first wife was the Princess Charlotte of England.

But the ties of blood though [illegible] strong, would not alone impel [illegible] England to preserve the integrity of Belgium. The acquisition of Belgium by France, if that acquisition were possible, would be a menace and a danger to England against which that Power would surely be forced to fight. There is the quarter whence her independence has always been most seriously threatened. It was from Antwerp that the veterans of Spain in the time of the Great Armada were to be conveyed to British shores. It was a capital object with Marlborough to wrest from France a place of so much strategic importance and power. When Napoleon arrived at supreme power in 1800, says an eminent British historian, his first care was to make a journey to the Scheldt to examine its capabilities. His eagle eye soon discerned its vast importance as the outwork of France against England. He gave orders immediately for the construction of magnificent docks under its guns, and a fleet of forty sail of the line. The right wing of the army of invasion was to have embarked when the invasion was attempted from its quays; and so strongly was the danger to Britain felt from so great a naval and military establishment being formed in its close vicinity, that the greatest armament which ever left the British shores was in 1809 directed for its subjugation. Napoleon everyday felt more strongly the inestimable importance of this great stronghold for the prosecution of his designs against England. He often said that Antwerp was worth to him a kingdom; amidst all his misfortunes he clung to it with invincible tenacity; he refused peace at Chatillon rather than consent to its relinquishment; and when the mighty conqueror was struck to the earth his right hand still held the citadel of Antwerp.

In this we have an explanation of the profound impression produced upon the British Government by the mere conjectural announcement of a treaty being proposed by which France is to absorb Belgium. We see also why Great Britain could not permit such an arrangement, and why she would surely make war to prevent it. The report that such a treaty has been proposed may have little or no foundation, but that the subject is one that vitally concerns England is made apparent by the tremendous sensation which a mere rumor has been able to produce.

An Exhortation to Laggers

The Democracy of Kentucky, whose views and action in regard to the negro and the fifteenth amendment precisely reflect the sentiments of the Democrats of Oregon, receive a severe castigation from the New York *World*. That paper as the head organ of the sensible and progressive element of the party is out of all patience with the slow plodding hinds of Democracy who can learn nothing, and who appear to be incapable of taking a forward step. It reminds them that the Democrats in New York are far in advance of the old fogy element, and like an army breaking up an old camp they have cast off their impediments and are tramping away for a new position, while the Bourbon Democracy of Kentucky (and they should have added of Oregon) are lagging in the rear, clinging to the refuse stuff, and trying to gather the abandoned whisky-casks and camp kettles and old cans, and encumbering themselves with all the useless old traps that accumulate in a rusty encampment. To quote the exact words of the *World*: the Democracy of Kentucky linger in the extreme rear and refuse to march without a great burden of camp-kettles strung upon their shouldered muskets or inverted on the points of their flag staffs.

The *World* then goes on to present arguments to the old fogy Democracy to induce them to cease their opposition to negro voting and come to the van with the Democrats of New York. It says:

> The Democratic Senators and Representatives in Congress have recently held a consultation and issued an address in which not a word is said on the negro question, and the party is counseled to waste no effort on dead issues. The great body of the party is marching up to the position taken by the Democracy of New York, who lead the advance with the single exception of Kentucky.

Next the *World* exhorts the laggers to take time by the forelock and spring at once to the position which they must occupy five years hence. It says that the people of the Border States give themselves unnecessary trouble in their demonstrations of hostility to the newly made negro citizen, because the colored people are certain to migrate rapidly to the more Southern States. This significant remark is added:

> The hide bound border State politicians do not seem to appreciate the great changes in the distribution of population which must result from the extinction of slavery and the freedom of the negroes to go where their labor is in greatest demand and best paid. If they had any clear foresight of the near future they would rather direct their attention and anxiety to the means of securing a new laboring population to take the places of the departing negroes, who will be induced to go all the more rapidly by hostility and ill usage. For aught we know, this blindness may be one of the agencies of Providence for hastening the inevitable exodus.

By this "new laboring population" the Chinese are meant. And in another article the *World* goes on to give the views of the intelligent, progressive Democracy on the Chinese question. It says the probable amount of the Chinese immigration is extravagantly overestimated, and launches out upon the discussion in this way:

> The employment of seventy five Chinamen in a shoe factory in a rural town of Massachusetts seems a small affair to provoke so much discussion. If Mr Samson of North Adams had invented or imported a machine so skilfully contrived that leather could be flung into it like corn into the hopper of a grist mill and come out in the form of boots as the corn is ground into meal, the interest excited by such a machine would be comparatively slight. Why should the working classes make an indignant protest against coolie labor any more than against the steam engine, the power loom, the sewing machine or the new agricultural implements? One steam-engine will do the work of a dozen men, and it subsists on less than any one man of the dozen. If a species of monkeys had been discovered in China capable of performing human work without any human wants, their importation and propagation would not be very stoutly opposed, and yet our labor organizations are thrown into a great ferment by the employment of a race who bear some resemblance to a tribe of capable monkeys.

[illegible] belittle the [illegible] of which the D[illegible] [illegible] It marks at the line of distinction between the Eastern and the Western Democrats [illegible] that [illegible] the [illegible].

A recent [illegible] France [illegible] that treaty France bound herself [illegible] the districts of North Schleswig [illegible] to Denmark [illegible] fulfillment of this obligation [illegible] other [illegible] to fulfill [illegible] Prussia certainly stands [illegible] on all points to be able to appeal to the sympathies of the world.

A Chicago paper boasts that Illinois has gained the honor of being the first American State to prohibit grants of special privileges and to take a stand against the prevalent system of aiding private corporations. [illegible] In Illinois they have adopted a new Constitution which they [illegible] [illegible] the Constitution of Oregon [illegible] dozen years ago. [illegible] in her constitution [illegible] Oregon and many other States are beginning to move in the same direction.

A correspondent of an Eastern journal writes very sorely against the income tax, because, as he says, when he collects the interest on his investments in United States bonds the Government keeps the tax back. "In this arbitrary way," says he, "the Government took forty dollars from me last year." It would seem that this individual, if he would reflect a little, might see that his case is not so deplorably hard as he would make it out. His lot is certainly endurable while he is the owner of bonds to such an amount as his statement would indicate.

POLITICAL NOTES

Ex Governor Newell is gaining in strength among the Republicans in the Second New Jersey District, and his nomination for Congress this fall is confidently expected. Gen Judson Kilpatrick will not be a candidate for the Governorship.

Referring to the designation in the late Tammany gathering in New York of John T. Hoffman as Governor of the State and, by the help of God and the Democratic party, next President of the United States, the Portland *Advertiser* expresses the fear that they count on outside assistance which they won't get.

A few nights ago it was announced that the "New Issue, or the Chinese American Question," would be expatiated upon in a public hall in New York by a working shoemaker. Up to 9 o'clock the only audience vouchsafed to the aspiring orator consisted of four newspaper reporters and a doorkeeper, and the meeting adjourned.

The Democrats of the First District of Kentucky met in Convention in Paducah on the 4th inst, and unanimously nominated Colonel Crossland, C S A, for Congress. A queer way to celebrate the Fourth of July—nominating for Congress a man who spent four years trying to make the Fourth of July and the Congress of the United States obsolete institutions.

A Montana Democrat named Johnson offered himself as a candidate for an office in Madison county in that Territory, but did not obtain the coveted honor. Whereupon he let himself off thus: "Here I am, a man 51 years old. I fought and bled for the Confederacy all through the war, and lost twenty seven of the finest niggers I ever saw, and still they won't run me for Assessor. I'll break the Democratic party. There shan't be a d——d one elected in Madison county."

The Terre Haute (Ind.) *Gazette* is stirring up once unpleasant reminiscences concerning Dan Vorhees. Among these incidents it relates that Vorhees, "when the telegraphic dispatch announced the secession of the first State, at that very moment, in company with some three or four gentlemen who were drinking at a public bar in not a far off city, he raised his glass and drank to the State of South Carolina as one State in the Union, thank God, that would not submit to be governed by Abolitionists."

For years past, says the Joliet (Ill.) *Republican*, the Democracy of Joliet have been boasting of a Democratic negro. The case did look dubious. His associations were bad—very bad—being often seen in company with the leading Democrats of this city. In the Andy Johnson times he even went so far as to define his position. On Saturday last, as he went to the polls, the Democracy swarmed around him to triumph in a Democratic gain, and remind him of his oft repeated promises to them in times past, to which "Rast" replied as he threw away a handful of Democratic tickets and voted Republican: "Oh yes, but then that was all talk; this is business. I can talk Copperhead, but I vote the Republican ticket."

CURRENT NOTES

A hog got "beastly drunk" in Covington, Ky, lately, by eating brandy peaches, and after staggering about the streets and disgracing himself for some hours he fell under the wheels of a street car and was killed.

The Terre Haute, Indiana, *Express* says a woman in Vigo county has helped her husband to raise seventy acres of wheat. She helped him by standing in the door and shaking a broom at him when he sat down to rest, thus keeping him at work.

The contested question of the right of American fishermen in Canadian waters has been settled by the ructions from the British Government, which allows them all that they have heretofore claimed, and will prevent further interference by the Dominion Government.

The District of Columbia was left free from the presence of regular troops for the first time since the early part of 1861 by the departure of Du Pont's light battery D of the Fifth Artillery on the 10th for Newport, Rhode Island, where it is to go into barracks.

In 1840 the silk product of the country was 60 000 lbs, worth $250 000; in 1844, 400 000 lbs, worth $1 000 000; in 1850 it was only 14 763 lbs. In 1860 the products of five States, including Pennsylvania, was $5 000 000. The business has increased steadily since. California is devoting great energy to it, and its silkworm eggs are highly valued. Of $211 000 000 raw silk produced annually, Asia is credited with $141 000 000; Europe $ 450 000; Africa $ 20 000; Oceanica $1 0 00; and America $90 000.

The New Orleans papers generally accept the introduction of Chinese labor into that city as one of the necessities of modern trade. The *Times* points out that "when Eastern cigar manufacturers can ship tobacco to California, have it made into cigars by Chinese labor, and returned at a less cost than they can have them manufactured for at home, it is high time that the cigar manufacturers realized the necessity for prospecting for some new business." It says that Chinese labor stands in very much the same position as machinery, which has at times wiped out whole communities of handicraftsmen. It concludes with a special word, not certainly of a very comforting character, to the cigar makers and the shoe makers, who have been the first to feel the brunt of the new competition: "The wise among them will turn their attention to other callings; only the unheeding will waste time and opportunity in fighting a losing battle against fate."

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO JULY 26

THE WAR IN EUROPE.

MOVEMENTS ON THE RHINE.

A Great Battle Expected in the Rhenish Provinces

AN IRON CLAD FRENCH FLEET SAILS FOR THE BALTIC

BY THE CABLES

L[illegible], July [illegible] — Midnight advices from Paris report [illegible] tonight at Cherbourg state that the French [illegible] is completely formed. It is under command of Vice Admiral [illegible], two Rear Admirals, the chief in command being Vice Admiral Count [illegible], whose flag ship is the ironclad S[illegible]. The first division is commanded by Rear Admiral [illegible], whose flag ship is the ironclad frigate [illegible], commandant [illegible]. This division comprises the ironclad frigate [illegible], commandant Duguilles; the ironclad frigate [illegible], commandant [illegible]; the ironclad guardship *Rochambeau*, commandant [illegible], and ironclad [illegible], commandant Dupere. The second division is commanded by Rear Admiral Dieudonne and comprises the ironclad frigates [illegible], commandant De Jonquier; [illegible], commandant Duval; ironclad corvettes [illegible], commandant Serres, and [illegible], commandant [illegible]. The *Rochambeau* is the [illegible] bought in the United States. Her armament consists of [illegible] guns of 9½ and [illegible] inches bore, throwing solid shot weighing [illegible] pounds a distance of [illegible]0 feet. The fleet is thoroughly equipped in all respects, but trained seamen are wanting. The first division was to sail on Saturday evening, and the second probably on Tuesday. The first division undoubtedly is the same which passed Dover on the 25th. Transports would soon follow. The last embarking corps of marines is now forming at Cherbourg. Gen. Devassergne arrived this morning to inspect this corps. Gen. Reboul goes in command of it. The corps numbers 8 000 men, and it is intended to land on the Schleswig coast to join General Bourbes, who has [illegible]000 men. The squadron is to blockade the Prussian coast, and troops are expected to operate from Denmark.

The defenses of Cherbourg have been strengthened within a few days, but had the Prussian fleet attacked the place last week it might have entered through the western pass and burned the arsenal and town, and returned through the western pass without receiving a shot.

Detachments of infantry and marines are continually arriving. The transport fleet is composed of large sailing vessels with auxiliary screws, and will be commanded by Vice Admiral La Roncière Le Noury. With the transports there will go numerous flotillas with batteries and gunboats to operate on coasts and rivers. The expedition of the corps of the Baltic will comprise two African divisions, including regiments of Zouaves and two chasseurs d Afrique.

NEW YORK, July 27 — A special correspondent of the New York *Tribune* at Metz sends advices of the 24th inst. He was within ten miles from the front, and there was no possibility of passing. On Monday, the 25th, the correspondent telegraphed as follows: General Bazaine leaves this afternoon with 15 000 men. La Bretagne goes also. The Emperor is expected to arrive next Thursday, and a battle is anticipated shortly afterwards. The army of Africa was rapidly arriving. The Zouaves that left Constantine on the 19th had also come.

A special correspondent of the *Tribune* in Paris states that private letters from headquarters of the army say no strangers will be respected.

Special orders have been given to shoot every man attempting to contravene orders against the press.

From Strasburg on the 22d there are advices of the steady concentration of troops towards Thionville, and nothing remains at Strasburg. Apparently the main attacks are to be made along the Valley of the Moselle, and the great battle will be in the Rhenish Provinces, but the Prussians seem to be falling back behind the Rhine.

PARIS, July 27 — The *Journal Officiel* publishes a decree naming the Empress Regent during the absence of the Emperor. The Departments of Moselle and Upper Rhine have been declared in a state of siege. A decree is also published calling out for active duty 90 000 men of the contingent of 39. The *Journal Officiel* has an article on the pretended proposed treaty between France and Prussia recently published in the London *Times*. The *Journal* says, after the treaty of Prague, in 1866, several conferences were held at Berlin between Count Von Bismarck and the French Ambassador on the subject of the proposed alliance. Some of the ideas set forth in the *Times* were then advanced, but the French Government never had any knowledge of the project described, and as to the propositions which were discussed at the interviews mentioned, the Emperor rejected them. It can escape no one that this publication on the part of the London *Times* is designed merely to influence public opinion in England.

WYOMING

CHEYENNE, July 27 — A telegram from Fort Fetterman says an Indian runner just in reports 100 white men with the Crow Indians on the Big Horn river, supposed members of the Big Horn Expedition. The same runner reports that the Crows and Sioux recently had a fight, in which the former had 20 killed, the latter 12 or 15.

CORINNE, July 27 — The editorial excursionists passed here tonight en route to the Pacific coast.

NEVADA

VIRGINIA, July 27 — The Germans of Virginia, Gold Hill, Silver City, Dayton and contiguous towns hold a mass meeting here tonight for the purpose of considering European affairs and adopting resolutions of sympathy with Prussia.

Wells Fargo & Co shipped tonight thirteen bars of bullion valued at $97 332 49.

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2[illegible] — A native of Morocco, Mrs Marie Yazmurean, was admitted to citizenship in the U S District Court to day. This is the first woman ever allowed to take out naturalization papers in our courts. Her husband died after declaring his intentions, and as she wished to return to France and could not get a passport from the French Consul, she completed her naturalization and returns as an American.

J C Merrill & Co sold the following vessels at auction to day for cash: Steamer *Washington*, $4 000; steamer *Alice*, $3 500; steamer [illegible], $3 000; barge [illegible], $1 600; barge *Mount Eagle*, $1 100; barge *Mount Diablo*, $1 000.

The California Foundry, long idle, resumed work to day.

A lady caught Wm Maynard, a young Englishman, picking her pocket on Montgomery street this noon, and held him until the arrival of a policeman, to whom she gave him in custody.

Mining Stocks

Treasure 11; Mammoth 49½; Nevada 10½; Savage 43½; Chollar 35; Norcross 87; Kentuck [illegible]; Imperial 69; [illegible] 11½; Curry 555; Jacket 29.

Los Angeles Dispatch

LOS ANGELES, July 2[illegible] — Arizona parties report eight days continuous rain from the 8th inst. The Indians attacked a wagon train at Willard's Springs, but were repulsed with a loss of one killed.

The present is a season of unusual business depression, and unless arrangements are made to relieve distillers and vintners from the present onerous taxes, grapes will be worthless this season in this market. All persons connected with this interest are despondent.

Dispatch from Grass Valley

GRASS VALLEY, July 27 — At 12 o'clock last night a dry goods store was discovered to be on fire [illegible]. The stock of goods, valued at $1 000, was almost entirely destroyed. The building was not much damaged. The goods were insured for $[illegible] or $5 000.

Among the estates in this country granted by King George of England was one to Robert Edwards, consisting of a large territory situated on what is now Canal street in New York. Edwards leased the property for ninety nine years, and this time having expired, two of his descendants now living in Gadsden [illegible] have been notified that on proving their identity they will come into possession of the property, which is now valued at $82 000 000.

A negro woman near Chillicothe, Ohio, on going out to visit a neighbor lately, left her child sleeping on the bed, and by way of security tied it to the bed post by a string fastened around its body. On her return the child was hanging over the side of the bed by the neck, quite dead.

OREGON

The S[illegible] says that a mineral spring has been discovered on the South Yamhill, four miles from the Agency.

About four thousand head of cattle have been driven from Grand Ronde valley to market during the past six months.

There was a heavy shower of frogs at the Cove, [illegible] county, last week, and the country round about is covered with the reptiles.

Large numbers of Indians who have been in Grand Ronde valley digging bulb roots for winter provisions have returned to Umatilla Reservation.

There is a terrible row in progress among the Democrats of [illegible] county, and they are publishing each other in the [illegible], emphasizing the word by prefacing it in that manner [illegible] sulphurous and profane adjectives.

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All of them at [illegible] grades of Sugar for sale to the Trade [illegible] lots to suit by

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CHINA OIL
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Who will continue the business in the same place, and who will attend to and settle the business of the old house. I desire to extend my grateful thanks to the public for the [illegible] patronage in the past, and bespeak for my successors a continuance of their favors.
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180 acres for sale [illegible] feet from the Ferry Landing, and only three quarters of a mile from the present city limits. The above property is now being offered for the first time and at a figure that will insure the purchaser [illegible] more than double his money within the next twelve months. [illegible] of the amount is in thorough cultivation—mostly in meadow and orchard.

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Portland	5 A M	Eugene	next day at 5 A M
Eugene at	[illegible]	Canyonville	4
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Yreka	1 M	Shasta	2 P M
Shasta at	3 P M	Chico	5 A M
Chico at	[illegible] A M	Sacramento	same day 11
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GENERAL MERCHANDISE, &c.,

I will sell at my Auction Sales Room,
ON SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1870,
At 10 o clock A M

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5 chests TEA
ALSO,
1[illegible] cases FRESH TOMATOES;
1[illegible] cases GREEN PEAS;
1[illegible] cases PEACHES;
80 cases GREEN CORN;
ALSO
1[illegible] bxs CANDLES;
2[illegible] bxs C O SOAP;
ALSO
[illegible] nests MARKET BASKETS
[illegible] CLOTHES [illegible]
ALSO
1[illegible] hlf bbls DRIED PEACHES;
1[illegible] hlf bbls DRIED APPLES;
1[illegible] cases CRANBERRIES;
ALSO,
50 kegs SYRUP;
10 bbls VINEGAR;
ALSO,
50 bxs MACARONI;
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ALSO
PARLOR,
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Lots 1 and 2 in Block 8[illegible], situated on corner of [illegible] Eighth and B streets, Couch's Addition [illegible] Portland; [illegible] Lots, 50x100 [illegible] Elegant Two Story Dwelling House [illegible] containing Eleven Rooms, [illegible] good woodshed, wash house, [illegible] trees and shrubbery on [illegible]
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The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 28, 1870.

CITY.

THE DAILY RECORD OF BURGLARIES, ETC.—The burglarious sensation of yesterday was the robbery of Mr. W. B. Fain's store, on Tuesday night. A transom window had been left out when the place was closed the evening before, and through that open the burglars gained admittance. They bagged a bolt of fine flannel, a lot of dress goods, a few dozen pants, vests, etc., and about which had been left in the desk. Mr. Fain's loss is not less than three dollars, though he does not know the Two shelves were completely of their contents. The room seemed to pretty well overlooked, and the only reason why the thieves did not take that they could not carry it. no one sleeping in the store that night, usually there is an occupant.

evening a young man named while ascending the river bank at of Salmon street, discovered some pants beneath the buildings on wharf. to pull them out, a Chinaman, the bank, gave an alarm, as it ap the other Chinamen living close by. other police soon arrived, and upon made under the houses, a consider of the goods stolen from Mr. Fain's found. The Chinaman who gave the arrested, and diligent search was made Chinese houses in that part of the street. was found in any of the houses. of the opinion that the robbery was by Chinamen.

evening, Mr. Joseph Kidder was on Pine street, by a man who from a dark place and struck him on Mr. Kidder sprang to his feet and at himself, when two others came the three robbed him of what money Mr. Kidder was badly injured and was his bed the greater part of yesterday. was made Tuesday night to enter Mr. Williams, on Park street. Mr. awakened by the noise, and getting fled.

DEATH OF EDWARD BARSTOW.—We find the Owego (N. Y.) Gazette the following notice and tribute to the memory of Edward Barstow, late of this city:

At Omaha, Neb., on Wednesday, June Edward Barstow, son of Hon. Charles and brother of Mrs. Thomas C. years.

This announcement carries sadness to Edward Barstow was a native of and beloved by all who He is the sixth child of Hon. C. R. (all save one) removed by death years, all of whom had reached or manhood or womanhood. The a new bereavement language Edward Barstow was a young manners, amiable disposition talents. Most of our citizens him, in his youth, as clerk in the while his father held the posi and will recall the wonderful with which he used to of that office. He left Owego to go into the employ of the Company in their New them most acceptably for the solicitation of another Owego Leonard, then resident there, he Portland, Oregon, where he filled, for position of Deputy Recorder for County. His health becoming im the milder atmosphere of Cali the service of the Pacific Ex at San Francisco. But the ad destroyer, consumption, soon relinquish all labor, and in the June he started for the He reached Omaha in a condition and stopped his brother residing there, homeward. But alas! He was valley of the sunny Susque grim monster came, and he him into the "valley of the remains reached here, in on Saturday evening, and solemn ceremony and sur friends, another of sons was consigned to

CIRCUIT COURT—UPTON JUDGE.—Proceedings

Sinnott vs. John Lillie; case Judge on the pleadings and and taken under advisement.

vs. Moses Hurd, continued till

vs. W. H. Anderson; plain by his complaint and defend judgment for costs.

vs. T. R. Brooks; same dis

Northrup and J. C. Van Rensalaer vs. default of defendant taken.

Joyat et al. vs. Lowndsdale heirs; con title to plaintiffs, to lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, in city of Portland.

and sine die.

REPORT.—A report was day to the effect that while two beer at the City Brewery, appearance and with that over compelled the beer drinkers of bully lager beer, and then the proprietor of the City Brewery of the story. In the first a lager beer drinking house; Shults who came in and treated or in any other manner; in, in the manner related; two men drinking beer as trifling and immaterial ex all right enough.

—A few days since we to Collector Bowlby, from Acting Commissioner of Internal that stamps were required till the 1st of October. This was error into which Senator he having written that no after the passage of the that the Commissioner was Corbett correct. Mr. Bowl in that effect yesterday, The law went into force and no stamps are required.

BEGGAR WANTED.—An ex Bullitt county, Kentucky, is agog A man disguised as an old de shelter for a night in a when a party of robbers at threw off his disguise, killed two drove the rest away, and then dis without leaving a sign of his identity." beggar" could get the biggest in this city. He is just the chap off Shults.

FROM THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The bark G. Miller, master, arrived yester twenty-one days from Honolulu, sugar and 50 bales pulu, con McCraken, Merrill & Co., Allen Wadhams & Co., and N. C. also brought the following named Mrs. Wolforth, Miss Wolforth, Mrs. F. G. Miller, F. McCune, and Chas. C. Brooks.

LECTURE.—It is hoped that all the lecture to-night by Mr. F. S. Philharmonic Hall, on the subject of Revolution." It is safe to predict attends will regret the time or Mr. Ostheim is not only a instructive speaker, and his theme never becomes tiresome or common

—One of the bound volumes of the and another of the WEEKLY— year—are missing from this office. that they have been borrowed by detains them through carelessness, them will confer a great favor by

RETAIL DEALER'S UNION MEETING.—The ad meeting of the Retail Dealer's Protective will take place to-night at their hall. It stated yesterday morning that would be held last evening.

PAPERS.—We are indebted to Capt. of the bark Cambridge, for files of Hono to July 24. Some extracts from the columns, will be found under head.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship Idaho, will sail at 7 this even

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

REGULAR MEETING, JULY 28TH, 1870.

Present—His Honor, Mayor Goldsmith, and Councilmen Bills, Breck, Congle, Hill, Hallock and Lewis.

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR.

The following message from the Mayor was presented and read by the Clerk.

PORTLAND, JULY 27, 1870.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Portland

GENTLEMEN—In view of the many outrages committed within this city the last few weeks, I would recommend the appointment of twelve special policemen for the term of one month at a salary not to exceed sixty dollars for each, said twelve specials to be on duty, four in each ward.

I also recommend the passage of an ordinance for the apprehension, conviction and punishment of all vagrants found within the city limits. I respectfully call your early attention to the above.

Very respectfully, &c., &c.,
B. GOLDSMITH, Mayor.

On motion of Mr. Lewis, the message was laid on the table for the time being.

PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES, ETC.

Petition of J. H. Reed and others for an amendment to the ordinance forbidding cows running at large east of Eighth street, so as to make Fourth street the limit. Referred to the Committee on Health and Police.

Petition of W. L. Higgins asking commutation of assessment for street improvement in front of his premises; referred to Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Several applications for permits under the ordinance to improve streets, granted.

Remonstrance of J. A. Chapman and others representing 300 feet front, against the proposed improvement of Market street, between Front and Water street, referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets and Public Property, to whom was referred the communication of Messrs. Russell & Ferry, proposing to sell certain blocks to the city for a public park, reported that they had ascertained the price asked and deeming it too high, had taken no further proceedings.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

A communication was received from the Chief Engineer, stating that certain repairs were needed to the house and hose of Engine Co. No. 2; referred to Committee on Fire and Water, with instructions to act.

The City Attorney reported a proposition of the heirs of the Lownsdale estate, who have attained majority, representing seven-tenths of the claim of Nancy Lownsdale, agreeing to deed a perpetual right to the city to use the streets running east and west to Eleventh street, and north and south known as Eighth, Ninth, Tenth and the east half of Eleventh streets, within such land claim, upon the condition that such heirs be hereafter exempt from assessments for the improvement of such streets. Referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY.

The following claims were allowed and ordered paid: C. H. Myers, $1; H. L. Pittock, advertising, $12 40; several viewers of streets, $72; Wallamet Iron Works, monument boxes, $66. The claim of Logan & Shattuck for $250, attorney's fees in the cases of Mason and Carter against the city, was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

ORDINANCES INTRODUCED.

An ordinance to alter and establish certain grades on Alder street; read three times and passed.

An ordinance to extend the time for completing the improvement of Sixth street from Clay to the north line of the Caruthers land claim to September 1st; read three times and passed.

An ordinance to amend ordinance No 795, to provide for the time and manner of improving Front and South Front street from Harrison to Sherman street; read three times and passed.

An ordinance to amend ordinance 801, an ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving Third and South Third streets, from Harrison to Caruthers street; read three times and passed.

An ordinance to provide for time and manner of improving Eighth, from Stark to Jefferson street; read twice and laid over.

An ordinance making appropriation for the relief of F. Dalton; (to refund $20 license paid as insurance broker) read three times and passed.

An ordinance to provide for the purchase of a bell for Vigilance Hook & Ladder Co., No., 1., read three times and passed.

An ordinance defining the duties of the City Marshal, establishing a day and night police and defining the duties and powers and fixing their compensation; read first time and ordered printed in bill form for use of Councilmen.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES.

The ordinance authorizing the Committee of Ways and Means to contract for the city printing; read third time and passed.

The ordinance to amend ordinance No. 436, entitled an ordinance to establish the salary of Street Commissioner; read third time and lost—yeas 4, nays 2.

The ordinance to repeal the ordinance of 1865 to prevent the carrying of concealed deadly weapons; read third time and lost—yeas, 3; nays, 3.

RESOLUTIONS.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the Marshal by and with the advice and consent of the Mayor, to appoint twelve special policemen to serve during the discretion of the Mayor, not more than a month, at a salary not to exceed $60 per month; such special policemen to be placed on duty, four in each ward.

A resolution was adopted directing the Auditor to cause to be published, five times, all ordinances except certain specified classes (unimportant to the public) and such as are already provided for by the charter.

A resolution was adopted directing the Auditor to give notice of intention to improve certain streets.

The ordinances relating to bathing in the Wallamet river, and to the letting of street contracts were ordered to be published.

The Council adjourned.

CALIFORNIA WINES.—We have received a case of wines and brandy from the "Lake Vineyard Wine Co." of San Francisco, as samples of California manufacture. These wines, of which there are several varieties, are the product of the great Lake and Mound vineyards of San Gabriel, near near Los Angeles, said to be the most extensive vineyards in the State. Experts who have sampled them pronounce them all of good quality, lacking only age to be classed among the excellent wines. The brandy appears to be pure and though not so near proof as some we have tested, of California manufacture, has a pleasant taste, and like the wines, needs only age to take good rank. The yield of the vineyards above mentioned, it is expected, will aggregate this year, not less than 150,000 gallons of wines and 10,000 gallons of brandy. We commend this manufacture to the trade and to all who have occasion to use wines or brandies, as being much more likely to be pure than most of the stuff purchased at the East.

MELTING POEM.—Under the inspiration of 95 degrees, Fahrenheit, our poet has sweated through his noddle the following melting production:

The dorg days are upon us;
The sun is pouring down
Upon the heads of every one.
In this here blazen town.

Oh! for a breath of fresh air!
Oh! for a little rain!
I'd just do anything on earth
These things for to obtain.

And if I don't obtain them soon
A funeral there will be;
The hacks will with my friends be filled,
But the corpse it will be me.

Our poet is still in a critical condition, but it is hoped that with a little ice, claret and a straw his miserable life can be prolonged, at least till his money gives out. He is under the care of an expert mixer.

BRIEF MENTION.—The public schools will commence their fall term Aug. 15th.

Four sailors deserted the ship *Alpha* Tuesday night. The unloading of the ship has been let to parties on shore.

The *Hermann Doctor* has on board 600 tons of wheat and will shortly go to Astoria to await orders from home.

More people are killed by lightning than is commonly supposed. According to some recently published statistics more than 10,000 people have been smitten by the electric fluid within the past thirty years, of which 2,252 were killed outright. The fiery bolts, however, seem to make a distinction on account of sex, for of the 880 killed within the last ten years, only 243 were females.

OUR CITIZENS certainly deserve credit, for the energy they display to make the Oregon Immigration and Labor Exchange a success and benefit to the State, as well as the immigrant coming to our State. Every citizen should give all the aid in their power to help the large number of strangers coming to our State, and not forget to inform them that Kohn & Fishel, No. 91 Front street, have the largest stock of clothing in Oregon; other goods are of superior quality and sold at extreme low prices.

RAINFALL, TEMPERATURE, TIDES.

Through the kindness of Mr. Lewis Wilson, Tidal Observer, at Astoria, we are in possession of tables showing the observations taken upon the rainfall at that place for a period of fourteen years, temperature for each month since the 1st of January, 1866, and tidal phenomena for nineteen years. The observations have been taken for the use of the government and by the use of the most perfect instruments furnished by the government. The tables have been prepared with the utmost care, and may, therefore, be relied upon as strictly correct:

RAINFALL SINCE JANUARY 1, 1857.

	1857	1858	1859	1860	1861	1862	1863
January	16.1	8.6	6.9	13.3	9.3	7.6	15.9
February	15.	4.8	12	6.6	15.7	5	15.5
March	11.6	6.8	21.5	5.6	7.6	16.8	6.8
April	.6	5.5	2.8	5.7	7.9	4.1	4.0
May	2.5	2.5	3.2	5	6.1	2.5	3.5
June	2.5	1.4	2.1	1.4	6.1	1.9	2.8
July	.5	.4	.5	1.3	.2	2.9	2.2
August	.2	5.4	1.4	.2	1.5	1.5	.6
September	2	3.9	9.2	2.5	2.9	1.6	8.5
October	2.8	4.9	5.5	7.	8	3.3	6.3
November	6.9	8.1	7.8	12.4	15.3	2.4	7.5
December	22.9	12.4	20.2	8.8	16.2	11.	6.7
Total	81.6	60.7	82.9	70.	92.8	60.5	83.5

	1864	1865	1866	1867	1868	1869	1870
January	11.	12.1	16.2	17.5	3.6	11.8	14.9
February	7.5	6.6	7.3	14.1	4.9	3.7	6.9
March	13.8	13.2	11.8	2.6	9.1	5.1	9.
April	3.1	4.4	7.3	5.7	6.1	6.	5.6
May	1.2	1.6	4.6	1.3	4.5	1.3	3.5
June	.8	2.9	5.7	1.9	2.5	.1	3.7
July	.9	1.2	.9	4.3	.6	.3	
August	.4	2	2.8	.2	.2	5.9	....
September	4.8	7.6	1.2	1.9	.3	5.9	
October	2.2	2.2	9.9	3.2	3.5	1.3	
November	12.2	16.2	17.7	8.9	8.2	19.1	....
December	14.3	12.8	15.6	24.7	14.1	9.6	....
Total	75.	83.2	100.	91.3	57.8	69.5	

MONTHLY MEAN TEMPERATURE.
(Three observations during each day.)

	1866	1867	1868	1869	1870
January	37.3	41.7	29.4	41.7	41.2
February	37.1	39.4	39.2	41.6	44.3
March	44.1	37.2	42.7	47.7	41.0
April	46.5	46.5	48.6	50.4	48.5
May	51.0	52.6	52.2	56.1	52.2
June	55.0	56.3	55.1	59.8	57.4
July	59.5	60.6	59.0	60.1	..
August	59.2	60.4	62.6	58.5	..
September	57.7	57.4	54.5	57.0	
October	52.7	50.6	52.2	52.2	
November	48.2	47.3	45.6	47.8	
December	44.1	42.6	44.1	42.2	....
Annual Mean	49.4	49.3	48.6	51.2	

TIDES.

Mean Rise and Fall during the year	6.1	feet
" Spring Tide " "	7.4	"
" Neap " " "	4.6	"
Difference between extreme high and low water	15.6	"
Mean difference between highest and lowest	11.2	"

John A. Dahlgren.

[From the Philadelphia Press, July 16.]

Death strikes so suddenly into every circle as to remind all humanity that it lives and dies in the midst of a battle forever going on. The wonder is not at those who fall, but that so many stand. The death of Rear Admiral John A. Dahlgren on Tuesday morning startled the people at the National Capital like a thunderbolt from a cloudless sky. In apparent health that very morning, having partaken of a hearty breakfast, and on Monday evening walking Pennsylvania avenue with his alert step and beaming eye, before 10 A. M. of Tuesday he was stretched lifeless in the midst of his amiable family, surrounded by his lovely wife and five little children! Dahlgren's public services are written in the public records, and to these we refer the historical reader. Let us speak of the citizen, the sailor, the gentleman—the father, the husband, the friend, and the companion. It is only a day or two since we met. Our own household stricken with sorrow, he came to inquire and to offer his generous aid. He had just returned from Pennsylvania, and had resolved to select a summer home near Chambersburg, there to nestle his young family while he attended to his duties as Rear Admiral in charge of the Washington Navy Yard. Nothing could excel his manly, modest deportment; his solicitude for others, his unselfishness as to himself. Even as we write he seems to be at our side. We almost hear him speak of the war in which he fought so bravely, and in the great object of which—the abolition of human slavery—he believed so entirely: of his handsome, brave boy, Ulric, who all mutilated as he was, died in his glorious venture to capture Richmond; of that officer of the United States Marines, who, buried in the aristocratic cemetery at Charleston, and afterwards taken up by the rebel ingrates, he compelled these same ingrates to see reinterred in the same sepulchre, to the tones of martial music, and with the old consecrated flag flying over them; of one dear daughter dying in a moment of the same heart disease that has now quenched his own great life in a twinkling; of his step-daughter, married, happy, and far away from the parent home; of his high hopes for his country and her future, so glorious and so matchless, and the wish that we might both live to see a few more of the fruits of the great war that saved her to mankind: of his intense horror of human slavery and his joy over its downfall, of his pride in the District of Columbia as the centre of the best society on our continent, and the future seat of the arts and sciences. And all these without a word about himself!

Death has taken from us many treasures, but in all his company, whether we mention Thaddeus Stevens, John A. Rawlins, Edwin M. Stanton, or Charles Dickens, there is not a truer friend, a more genuine patriot, or a more thorough philanthropist than John A. Dahlgren.

FOREIGN NOTES.

From a late communication from Paris we make this significant extract: "The excessive drouth produces great uneasiness. Bread has risen in price; vegetables are scarce, wretched and very dear, and it is feared high prices will rule for food of all kinds. In some places the farmers are selling all their cattle to the butchers at nominal prices. This is deplorable. Trade in France is stagnant. Workmen innumerable are out of employment. There have been many strikes, which have impoverished the working classes, and there is consequently great poverty."

Two thousand laborers are at work upon the Honduras Interoceanic Railroad, one section of which is already opened, and it is thought that the work will be finished by the Fall of 1871. A line of English steamers is to be established between San Francisco and Honduras on the completion of the road. This will divert all the California and Central American trade from Panama to Honduras. The distance between San Francisco and New York by water will be reduced to fourteen days, and to eleven days to New Orleans.

A New York paper of the 13th inst. says: In two days last week, Wednesday and Thursday, nineteen vessels, bringing cargoes of coffee, arrived at Baltimore. If the truth were known, it would probably be found that part of this heavy influx of coffee vessels was due to the extortions practiced at our quarantine, as it is a well understood fact that a considerable per centage of New York commerce has thus been turned into other channels.

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80	80	50	350	"	17	House and barn, 40x80	1,600
160	40	30	250	Yam	19	Two-story frame house and barn	2,100
120	50	50			20	Box house & hay shed.	1,300
207	100	100	1000	Mult	8½	Log house	3,500
80						25 acres swale	1,000
160	4	4	150	Clack	7	Some swale land	1,000
320	200	65	800	"	11	House and sheds	2,000
330	200	25	600	"	11	House and barn on Tualatin	2,000
100					13	No improvements	1,200
100					11	" "	800
20	20	10	250	Mult	2	House and barn	2,500
60		10		"	3	Box house	1,100
55	4	4	200		5	One and a half story house	800
120					5	Unimproved	1,200
880	500	250	600	Wash	17	Three houses & barns	10,560
450	300	150	400	"	25	Good house and barns	5,000
120	8	8	100	"	5½	Box house and barn	2,500
310	60	20	200	"	14	Good open land—log dwelling	1,200
120	60	25	1000	Mult	3	On Base Line Road	6,000
13	13	13	400	"	3½	Good house	2,500
60					4	Unimproved	1,250
115	10	10	400		4½	Box house and barn	2,750
160	40	40	1200		5	Good frame house	4,000
240	10			Clack	8	Two miles above Milwaukie	1,200
44	2	2		Mult	3½	Box house	1,100
185	70	25	600	Clack	15	Frame house & barn	1,300
320	75	30	200	"	17	Log house and barn	2,000
714	75	20	200	"	22	Frame house, saw mill and blacksmith shop on Willamette river	3,250
305	40	40	500	"	16	Frame house and barn and woodyard	2,200
160	120	60	600	"	9½	Frame house and barn	2,500
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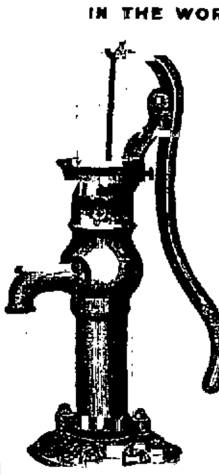

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[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Shall a[illegible] make [illegible]
[illegible]
Oh! would [illegible] Mary [illegible]
A loving [illegible]
Followed [illegible] together,
We both [illegible]
One homogeneous crystal [illegible]
Were [illegible]
We would unite to form [illegible]
Of common [illegible] Wouldn't heaven
That I were phosphorus and thou were lime,
And we of lime composed a phosphate [illegible]
I'd be content to be a sulphuric acid
So that thou might be [illegible]
We should be [illegible]
Instead, we'd form the salt that's named from Epsom.
Couldst thou potassa be [illegible]
Our happy union should [illegible]
Nitrate of potassa, otherwise saltpeter
And thus, our several natures sweetly blent,
We'd live and love together [illegible]
Should decompose this fleshy tertium quod,
Leaving our souls to all eternity
Amalgamated! Sweet, thy name is Briggs,
And mine is Johnson. Wherefore should not we
Agree to form a Johnsonate of Briggs?

Alaskan Seals.

In the following article on seals of Alaska there are some humorous observations and a good deal of substantial information:

The habits of the seal are peculiar. Where they spend the winter nobody knows, but it is supposed to be in the equatorial region, as they are seen going south. When they first arrive at the islands they are very fat. During the several months that they remain on the islands they give no signs of taking any food. But unlike Lemminger's breed of sea turtles, who can live a hundred years lying on their back in a restaurant window, and growing fat by sucking the atmosphere, the seals grow lean while on the islands. Insomuch as elevation in the scale of being is according to the supremacy of the bone over his circumstances, the Lemminger sea turtle must be the most elevated of all animal life. But the seal, who can live three months without food, is considerably elevated.

The male seal is represented to be as large as a cow, or, more particularly, to be from seven to nine feet in length and six or seven in girth, and to weigh from 600 to 1,500 pounds. The female is much smaller, being about five feet in length, three in girth, and weighing from 100 to 400 pounds, and differing in form from the male, as human male and female forms do. The superior size of the male secures proper domestic subjection, which he rigidly enforces, setting an example of family discipline, which, in the way the woman are going on, may have its last abiding place with the seals. The habits of the seals at these breeding islands are described by the Russian traders substantially as follows: In the spring a number of old bull seals, called wigs, arrive apparently to inspect the place. These pioneers depart, and then return with all the males of mature age—that is, above five or six years old. These ascend the shore, and each takes possession of a spot of from one to three square rods of ground, which he he holds through the season if able. Then the females arrive, escorted by the young male seals, of from two to four years, who are termed bachelors. The bachelors not being able to maintain places in the breeding rookeries, remain outside, and are a disturbing element. Lastly the yearlings arrive. These keep the water and grow.

The females ascend the shore and are appropriated by the males without apparent ceremony. There may have been a previous relation or arrangement, but we have no positive knowledge. Instances are observed of courtship. A female ascends the shore, giving a bleating cry. A bull carefully gets between her and the water, as if he expected some female coyness, and then pounces upon her, and drives or carries her to his lot of ground. The object of this ardent courtship seems to be purely to guard her while she is bringing forth her young, and then to take care of the young. In this the ardor of the seal differs from all other masculine ardor. Perhaps some of our masculine readers will think him a soft simpleton.

The seal is a polygamist. We say it with sorrow. But he don't know any better. Probably if put upon his defense he would cite the example of the Patriarchs, as the perverse Mormons do! He watches the landing, and seizes on successive females, and deposits them in his little lot, to the number of twelve or fifteen. He also steals from his fellows. And while he is looking for more, other bull seals poach upon his manor and carry off his cows. All this raises fierce fights for possession; for in all animated nature the males are always ready to fight for the possession of the females. In our sublime civilization the right to kill any who interferes with this possession is recognized by our legal tribunals. Thus, what with seeking for more females and fighting to keep what they have got, and poaching on each other, the bull seals make it lively, and keep their faculties in active exercise. They never eat or sleep but devote themselves wholly to this pursuit of happiness.

Soon after their arrival, in June and July, the females bring forth their young rarely producing more than one, their period of gestation being about eleven months. For a few days the young one is carefully nursed by the mother, who then, after having received the particular attentions of the male, is allowed to go into the water, and from that time she visits her nurselings at intervals. The males remain and tenderly watch the little ones. Our ignorance of the seal language and literature prevents our learning whether the males know their own offspring that they give the young ones such paternal care, and whether the children know their fathers, as ours do. Their contention for the possession of enciente females seems to militate against this; but at any rate, their care for the young is broader and more generous than in our civilization, where each man thinks the care of his own children trouble enough, and where, as is reported, many are inclined to limit even this by methods contrary to nature.

In the months of September and October the calves are pushed into the water, when the bachelors teach them to swim, and about the last of October these two classes leave the islands. Soon after the females take their departure, and lastly the old males, and all may be seen going southward.

The killing is done in the month of August, and care is taken that it shall not alarm the main body. Early in the morning, while the bachelors are resting along the shore inside the breeding rookeries, the hunters each armed with a heavy oak club, running between them and the rookeries and drive them inland. When cut off from retreat to the water they are helpless. Then a selection is made, and the undesirable seals are allowed to return, and the chosen ones are slowly driven further inland, and then are killed by a blow on the head with a club.

It is estimated that 100,000 may be killed each year without diminishing the average number. The returns under the Russian management do not sustain this, for they show that a lower rate has at times greatly cut down the production. And these facts hardly sustain the estimate of the number on these two islands, as between three and four millions. How to regulate the killing, so as to take as many as can be done without reducing the average census, is the problem the Government has to deal with. If these so-called fisheries were thrown open, the seal population would be exterminated in a single year. The bill that has passed the House places the islands in the hands of a company, which is to be allowed to kill 100,000 a year, and is to pay $2 tax on each skin, and to pay a rent of $20,000 a year.

American Claims Against Venezuela.

For the past few years attention has been called at various times to the claims of American citizens against the Republic of Venezuela. According to a commission, which was organized in 1868, and which held its sessions in Caracas during the summer of that year, the amount claimed by American citizens amounted to $4,523,273 11. Of these but $1,253,310 30 were allowed. $719,122 resting on the award of the umpire. Upwards of three and a half millions of dollars claimed were disallowed. In the memorial which has just been presented to Congress from the claimants it is shown that the claims, which date back as far as the year 1811, arise from many causes. Some are for war supplies furnished Venezuela in its struggle for independence; some for acts of forcible appropriation of property, and others for acts of outrage and murder perpetrated on citizens of this country. There [illegible] others, but these will suffice to show the nature of the claims. After the adjudication of the commission by the umpire it was [illegible] the [illegible] agreed upon for the payment satisfactory of all concerned. It was thought that we had heard the last of the Venezuelan claims, and that the Central American republic would discharge its debts. The result has proved otherwise. The instalments of principal and those of interest upon the awards fixed by the commission have matured, but the Venezuelan Government [illegible] the slightest anxiety about the matter. It does not seem to give it the smallest particle of uneasiness. It goes on [illegible] affairs altogether. So the matter rests, as far as the Venezuelans are concerned. Now, while these lovers of liberty, truth, justice and republicanism have practically repudiated their indebtedness to the citizens of a friendly nation, it is about time that the American government should apprise them of the fact that their seeming forgetfulness will not be overlooked, and that American citizens will have to be indemnified for their losses. The citizens of a nation that can afford to go to war every three or six months, upset the government, sack towns, close ports, destroy corn fields, burn valuable forests, and slaughter, rob and pillage indiscriminately, can afford to pay its just debts, and the Venezuelans should be given to understand that these claims of Americans must be paid peaceably if possible, forcibly if necessary.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Ship Canal across the American Isthmus.

(From the New York Sun.)

All the efforts of the naval detachment engaged in exploring the Isthmus of Darien to find a practicable route for a canal, have ended in failure. The survey, however, has covered only a part of the Isthmus and it is by no means improbable that further research will be rewarded by finding the long-sought for depression through the mountain range, and one that is feasible for a ship canal. Whatever may be the ultimate result, it is highly creditable to our Government to have made the first serious effort to penetrate the mystery that has so long enshrouded the physical outlines of this strip of the continent. A water communication from ocean to ocean has been the dream of nations for three hundred years, yet in all that long period, until this reconnoissance was undertaken, the world has been without any authentic information on the subject. In the end, without regard to its expense and difficulties, this great work will have to be built. The world's commerce will not always halt at a thin barrier scarcely exceeding fifty miles wide and even less in places, when seventeen thousand miles of extra sailing or steaming is the penalty paid for obstruction by every ship in a North Atlantic port, bound for the North Pacific. Doubtless all commercial nations may in time agree upon this route by treaties, and combine their energies for its construction. If it costs five hundred millions, the world at large will be more than repaid for the outlay. Something higher and nobler than prospective dividends should urge the world to this enterprise.

The red man, as a beggar, has proved a great success. Spotted Tail and Red Cloud, with their wives and long retinue of braves, told pitiful tales of their poverty, coupled with instances of their friendship for the white man, which so pleased the Great Father in Washington that he sent them home with gladdened hearts and plenty of ammunition and scalping knives, with which to cultivate more intimate relations with the settlers on the borders. Another delegation of redskins yesterday poured into the ear of Commissioner Parker the story of their wrongs and wrung from him a promise of wagons, horses and everything else necessary for an Indian paradise. Of course these noble sons of the forest were all peaceable and quiet mortals, and scalping settlers was not at all in their line; but in reply to the question whether their people, who are now upon their summer hunt, had gone out solely for that purpose, one of the Chiefs naively said they did not go out for war; he supposed, however, that while out they would indulge in that harmless recreation to a limited extent.—*N. Y. Herald, July 15.*

It appears that both houses of Congress have agreed upon the proposition to give the same pay to female as to male clerks, where they perform the same service. A simple example of justice this, which ought to be generally adopted throughout the country.

The New York papers report that Col. Fisk said last week that he should carry passengers to Chicago for two cents a head, and feed them on the way, before he would succumb to Vanderbilt.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PORTLAND, Wednesday, July 27, 1870.

Gold in New York same as yesterday—121½.

Legal Tenders, quotable at 84@85.

Foreign Markets.

From the Honolulu *Advertiser* of July 2d, we clip the following commercial and shipping items:

We have to note several foreign arrivals. The bark *Camden* from Puget Sound, the 25th, with a cargo of lumber. On the same day the bark *Pacific* came in from China, en route for Valparaiso. Having procured a spar she sailed again on the 27th. On the 26th the schooner *Margaret Crockard* arrived from San Francisco. She will sail about the 10th of July for Melbourne. On the 25th, the bark *Transit* arrived from San Francisco, 25 days passage—an unusually long passage for the summer season. She is under charter to load guano.

The ship *Guiding Star* passed the port on the 30th, eighteen days from San Francisco. She was boarded by the *Commercial* news boat, some fifteen miles from port, and a few papers received. She was bound to Hongkong and passed on without anchoring.

The *Cambridge* is loading for Portland, to sail early next week; and the *Ethan Allen* for San Francisco, to sail from the 12th to the 16th.

The weather is rather dry, but favorable to agricultural work of all kinds, and crops, especially on the weather sides of the various islands, are looking fine, and promise good yield. If we may judge from the late reports from foreign markets, the prospects for our leading staples for the next few months is unusually good.

WHALERS' REPORTS.—The bark *Cleone*, 374 tons, Captain Luce, 590 barrels oil; bark *Petrel*, 257 tons, Captain Worth, 460 barrels sperm oil, 12 months out (this vessel is about to proceed home with her cargo, filling up with oil from the other whalers); bark *Iona*, 291 tons, Norton, with 930 barrels whale and 680 barrels sperm oil.

FOREIGN ARRIVALS.—May 12, bark *Sea Ranger*, 273 tons, Allen, 200 barrels sperm, six months. May 18, ship *Milton*, 373 tons, Wilson, 420 barrels sperm, six months and a half; ship *Europa*, 323 tons, Nye, 75 barrels sperm since leaving the Bay in March; bark *Callao*, 209 tons, Brown, to return home. May 14, bark *Osmanli*, Williams, 75 barrels sperm since leaving the Bay.

GREAT VOYAGES.—Ship *Emma C. Jones*, Capt. Gifford, arrived in port yesterday, after an absence of 47 months in the Pacific Ocean, having taken 2,450 barrels sperm oil. Edward C. Jones, Esq., is her agent.

Bark *Abraham Barker*, Capt. Potter, arrived in port this noon from a 47 months' voyage in the South Pacific Ocean, having taken 2,960 barrels sperm and 110 barrels whale oil. Messrs. J. & W. R. Wing are her agents.

Ships *Minerva Smyth* and *Emma C. Jones* which arrived yesterday, and the *Abraham Barker*, all sailed in June, 1866, the former and latter on the 19th and the other on the 9th of the month, and each have made unusually successful voyages.—*N. B. Standard, May 21.*

GOOD VOYAGE.—Ship *Minerva Smyth*, Capt. Howland, arrived at this port last night from a 47 months' voyage in the South Atlantic Ocean, having taken during her absence 1,850 barrels sperm oil, 500 barrels whale oil, and 4,100 pounds of bone.—[illegible]

Shipping Intelligence.

BY TELEGRAPH.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Arrived—U. S. steamer *New Bern*, Sitka and way ports. Gen. Geo. P. Ihrie and 100 discharged soldiers were passengers.

Cleared—Schooner *Cora*, Coos Bay, bark *Huntsville*, Port Madison, barkentine *Lulu*, Coos Bay, schooner *Light Wing*, do.

Markets by Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Wheat at 1½, four or five other Eastern quotations as yesterday.

San Francisco flour, [illegible] Commercial superfine and extra, from old wheat, $[illegible] 50 for former, and $6 [illegible] for the latter.

Wheat—Dull and lower, at $1 [illegible] outside figures for good shipping.

Barley—Feed, $1 [illegible] brewing, $1 [illegible] nominal; the market is completely broken down, some sales of good being made at $1.

Oats, $1 [illegible]

Potatoes, $1 [illegible] 25.

Wholesale and Jobbing Markets.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Seasonable goods—Mowers, Buckeye, $125a160; Clipper $125a[illegible]; Union, McCormick, Wood, and other patterns, $[illegible]. Taylor's Sulkey Rake, $47 50; Whitcomb's do do, $40 00; Bain's Wisconsin Farm Wagon, $[illegible].

Reapers—Buckeye Hand Raker, $225a250; Buckeye Self Raker, $250a275; Dodge (Ohio Buckeye) Hand and Self Raker, $225a250; other patterns both Hand and Self Rakers $175a250.

Harvesters—Haines' Header, 10 to 12 feet cut, $340a[illegible]; Marsh Harvester, $275.

Threshers—Sweepstakes (improved for 1870) 24 to 40 cylinder $650a900. Pitt's Challenger, 4 to 12 horse power, $[illegible]; Ball's Tornado, 8 to 10 horse power, $760 [illegible]. Endless Chain Thresher, $[illegible].

Horse Powers—Carey, 4 to 12 horse, $150a250; Pitts Challenger, 4 to 12 horse-power, $2[illegible]; Jackson Michigan Farm Wagon, complete box brake, &c., $140a165 to [illegible]; Burt's Sulky Rake, $40 to $45; Hollingworth Sulky Rake, $45 to $50; Revolving Rake, $8 50 to $12; Wire Horse Rake, $12 to $15; Hand Rakes, $6 00; Scythes and snaths—Bloods, $21 50 [illegible]; Grant's Grape Vine Cradles, $47 50; Hay Forks, $[illegible] to $13.

Barley Fork, Cl[illegible], $[illegible] 50, Wilcox $[illegible]; Hay Fork, $12 [illegible].

BAGS AND BAGGING—[illegible] Burlap bags, 22½[illegible] Dundee gunnies, [illegible]; Hessian [illegible].

BUILDING MATERIALS—New Jersey Cement, $[illegible]; Rosapple $1 50a5 00; [illegible] Lime $2 75; San Juan do, $2 75, [illegible] Lath, $4 50. Lumber—Assorted [illegible]; Dressed $22a30; flooring, $[illegible]; shingles, $2 for redwood [illegible]; Eastern hardware [illegible].

BROOMS—[illegible] No. 1 $[illegible] 2 25 [illegible] No. 3, $4 25 [illegible]; Fabrey & Gillespie's, No. 1, $[illegible], No. 3, $[illegible] 50. Other makes No. 1, $5 50, No. 2 $[illegible].

CANDLES—[illegible] Emery's, [illegible]; Star [illegible]; Ward's, [illegible]; Harkness', [illegible]; Schmidt's [illegible]; Grass, 18½.

COFFEE—Rio, 20½@21, Costa Rica, [illegible]; Jones' Prepared Java, [illegible]; Kona, 20[illegible].

DRUGS—Alum, bbls 6c; borax, Eastern, 40 cents; [illegible] Potash, Baltz [illegible] Rosin, per [illegible], $8@12; saltpetre, kegs, 16@[illegible]; sulphur, 8@11.

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 16[illegible]; [illegible]; Standard, [illegible]; Hose [illegible]; [illegible] shirting, 4-4, 7½@9; do 7-8, 10½@13½; [illegible]; Cotton [illegible] linen checks [illegible]; Cotton flannel, bleached [illegible]; brown, 15@25; Cottonades, light, [illegible]; Denims, 15@25; Hickory stripes, 15@25; Standard Prints, 10½@11½; seconds, 9½@10; Delaines, [illegible]; [illegible] Ticks, [illegible]; Table linen, damask, [illegible]; [illegible] bleached, [illegible]; Diapers [illegible]; Seamless sacks, 37½@45; Alpaca, black, [illegible]; [illegible] Crash, 12½@15.

FRUITS, SAUCES, ETC.—Grapes—[illegible] raisins, [illegible] fresh layers, [illegible] half boxes, [illegible] qr boxes, [illegible]; Canned [illegible] 4 [illegible]; Assorted pie fruits, $4 25; Honey, in tins, $4 50, Green Corn in cans, $3 50a4 00; Lobsters, in tins, $3 50a3 75, oysters, fresh [illegible]; [illegible] Tomato Catsup, in pints, $1 75, in qts. $2 25, Caper sauce, $4 50a5 00.

HARDWARE AND IRON—Iron Axles, [illegible] Carriage Springs, 21a22; Axe Handles, $4 00a4 75; Pick do $4 [illegible]; [illegible] Bar Lead, 12½c; Sand Paper, $6; Pat Cross-cut Saws, [illegible] Mill do, [illegible]; Anvils, Armitage, [illegible]; [illegible] bellows, [illegible] Newhouse traps, $4 [illegible]; $24 00; Grindstones 4½c, Cable Chain, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, $8 00@12 00; Scale Beams, $7[illegible]; Union Scales, Fairbanks', $1[illegible]@13 50, Grocers' do, $12 50; Iron—Round bar iron, ½ to 2 inch, 4½c; small bar, [illegible]; Norway, [illegible]; American do, [illegible]; nails [illegible]; Horse Nails, Ribbon (hand made) [illegible]; Putnam (pressed) [illegible]; Griffin (pressed), [illegible].

LIQUORS—French Brandy, $4 00a12 00 per gal; American Brandy, $2 [illegible]; Whiskey, Cutter's, $[illegible]; [illegible] Hermitage, [illegible]; [illegible] Scotch [illegible]; Holland Gin, $4 50; Old Tom Gin, $5 [illegible]; Jamaica Rum, $5 00, New England Rum, $2 50; Port Wine $1 50a7 00, Sherry Wine, $3 00a7 00.

MATCHES—Oregon, 2 00, parlor, $3 75; California, $2 25.

METALS—Iron—Scotch and English pig per ton, none; [illegible] sheet, 14 to 20, 7½c; sheet, 24 to 27, 9c; Oregon pig, $41 00 at works. Copper—Sheathing per pound, 40c; do, yellow, 40c; do, bronze, [illegible]; do, old, 15c; Tin Plates—Plates, charcoal, IX, per box, $14 50; plates, IC, charcoal, $13, roofing plates, $12 50, Banca tin slabs, [illegible]; Steel—English cast steel, per lb, 18c. Lead—Pig, per lb, 9c; sheet, 14c; pipe, 13c, bar, 12. Zinc—Sheets, per lb, 14c; Babbit Metal, [illegible]; Quicksilver, 65c.

MOLASSES—Hawaiian molasses, per gal, 25c.

NAILS—Best brands $6 25a7 per keg; Fine Finishing and brads, $6 75@7 00. Lath 3d fine $9 50; Boat Spikes, $8 50, firm.

NUTS—Almonds, 30@35, English Walnuts, 15@14, Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c; Peanuts, 16c, Pecans, 30c.

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's, none; Devoe's, 62½c; Pratt's, 6[illegible], other brands, none; Lard Oil, $1 40; Strained, $1; China Nut Oil, $1 30a1 35, Polar Oil, 80c; Tanner's Oil, 65c; Neatsfoot Oil, $1 65, Sperm Oil, $2 50; Castor Oil, $3 00, Linseed Oil, $1 25; raw and boiled; Dog Fish, 75c.

POWDER—Dupont's, 55 for lb cans; 65 for ½ lb cans; Rifle, in 25 lb kegs, $8 00, sporting, in 1 lb cans, $3 00 each; Eagle Duck, 1, 2 and 3, per keg, $4 50; Hazard's Kentucky Rifle, 55c for 1 lb cans; 65c for ½ lb cans; California, 55c for lb cans; 65c ½ lb cans; do per ½ keg, $4 50. Blasting, per keg of 25 lbs., $2 75. Double tape fuse per M ft, $16 50; single tape fuse, per M ft, $13 25.

ROPE—Per lb, 22c, firm.

RICE—China, No. 1 6½@7; Patna, 7½@8c, Hawaiian, 9@10c, Batavia, 6½@7.

SALT—Liverpool fine, $35; do. coarse, $32 50; Carmen Island $27 50@30, Ground Rock, $32 50; Dairy, $37 50, San Quentin, $25@27 50.

SALERATUS—Barton's, 10c per lb; Babbitt's, 11c.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½ cts, Colgate, 11½c, Castile, 15c; Cal. brands, 7½@8½c; Corbitt & Macleay's Detersive, $1 75.

SODA—Babbitt's, 11c. Barton's 9½c., and soda, [illegible] bicarbonate, in kegs, 8c.

SPICES—Cloves 50c, Cassia, 62½@70c; Nutmegs, $1 25@1 37½, Mace, $1 45a1 50, Pepper, grain, 30a32c; Mustard, Cal., $1 45@1 62½, do French, $2 [illegible] 75; Pepper, ground, $1 50@1 75, do Cayenne, $1 [illegible]; Allspice, ground, $1 50@1 75, do grain, 30c; Ginger, ground, $1 50@1 75.

STARCH—Glenfield, 19½@20; corn, 15@17; Duryeas, 6a 15; pearl, 12½, Oswego, Kingsfords, 12½@13½.

SUGARS—Sand., Island, 9½@13½c; San Francisco Yellow C, 13½@15; Golden C, hf bbls, 13½@14½; Powdered, [illegible] Crushed, in bbls, 16½; in half bbls, 17c.

SYRUPS—Heavy Golden in bbls, 87½c per gall; 5 gall kegs, 95c per gallon; San Francisco and Pacific in kegs 95c, in hlf bbls 90c, in bbls 90c, Bay Refinery, California Refinery, extra, 90c per gallon; Hawaiian, 5 gal kegs, 50c.

TOBACCO—Navy, per lb 75@82½c; Light Pressed, 95@10c; Atlantic Cable, 95@87½c.

TEAS—Young Hyson, $1@1 50; Gunpowder and Imperial, $1 25; black, 55@1 00, Japan, in papers, 82½@90c.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill's, per gross, $27 50; Donnelly's, per gross, $26 50.

WOOD AND WILLOW WARE (per nest)—Pails, painted, $3 00@3 50; do Cedar, $4 50@5 00. Tubs, painted, $4 50@4 50, do cedar, $5 50.

WOOLEN GOODS—Oregon manufacture—*Blankets*, gray, No. 1, $9 00; No. 2, $6 50; No. 3, do, $4 00; do, white, No. 1, extra, $12 00; No. 1, $8 50; do No. 2, $7 00; No. 2 blue, $7 75, No. 2, green, $7 75; Virginia, No. 1, $11 00, No. 2, $8 00, 8-4 White flannel, $1 10@$1 25; 4-4 White do, 75c; 3-4 White do, 40 @45c; Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 50@55c, Grey Mixed Shirting 40@45; Hand fine, 90c, Grey Doeskin, $1 00, Fancy do, $1 10; Drab Mixed Beaver, 97½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00a$1 40; Tweeds, 75a85c; Yarns, $1a1 20.

Domestic Produce—Jobbing Prices.

FLOUR—Leading brands, extra, per bbl, $6 00, firm; superfine, $5 00@5 50; fine, $4 75a5 00; good country brands $5 50.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good White, $1 10 per bushel; Red, $1 00. OATS—per bushel, 55@60c. BARLEY—Chevalier 1¼@1½c per lb; common brewing 1½@1¾c.

FEED—Ground, per ton, $25 00; Bran, per ton, $16 00; Middlings, per ton $30 00.

HAY—From wagon, $12 00@15 00 per ton; baled, per ton, $15 00@18 00.

FRUITS—APPLES—green, per box, $1 25@1 75. PEARS—per box, 50c@$1 00. DRIED APPLES—Oregon, in bulk, 4½c; in kegs, 5½c. DRIED PEACHES—Oregon, per lb, 8½@10c; California, 13c. DRIED PLUMS, without pits, 22c; with pits, 8@10c.

POTATOES—Oregon, per bushel, 40@50c.

ONIONS—Oregon, per bushel $1 00@1 25 California, per 100 lbs, $3 00.

PROVISIONS—BACON—Sides, 15c; Hams 17; Cross' sugar cured do, 25c; Smith, Brassfield & Co's 25c; Johnson's, 20; Shoulders, 8@9c. BUTTER—Oregon solid, 15@18c per lb; brine, 18@20c, fresh rolls, 18@22c; [illegible] California, 37½c. [illegible] 35c; Pink, 3½c; small White, 3½c; Bayou, 4c; Butter, 4c. LARD—Oregon, 10 lb cans, 16c; in bulk, 14c. MESS BEEF—per bbl, $18 00. MESS PORK—per bbl, $24. CHEESE—Oregon, 18c; California, 21@22c, Eastern, 21c. EGGS—30 cents per doz. [illegible] 8@9½c.

Domestic Produce—Buying Prices.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good White, per bushel, $1 05 cents, Red, 95c. OATS—per bushel, 45@50c. BARLEY—Chevalier, per lb 1¼@1½c; common brewing, 1[illegible]@1¼c.

CORN MEAL—W. W. per 100 lbs, $4 25; country brands, $2 75@3 00.

FEED—Ground, per ton, $25.

FRUITS—APPLES—Green, per box, 125c@$1 50. Dried, per lb, 4@5c. PRUNES—Dried, per lb, 8½c.

HAY—From wagon, $10 00; baled, $11 00@12 00.

PROVISIONS—BACON—sides, 13½@14. HAMS—15@16c. SHOULDERS—8c. LARD—in tins, 16 cents; in kegs, 14c. EGGS—per doz, 2[illegible]c. BUTTER—good to choice, 16@18c. BEANS—per 100 lbs, $3 25@4 25.

POULTRY—Chickens—young, per doz, $4 00@5 00; [illegible]

POTATOES—per bushel, 37½@40c.

WOOL AND FURS—Wool—per lb, 22c. FURS—Fisher, $1 50@3 00; Fox, cross, $1 00a3 00, do red, 75c @1 25; Martin, prime, dark, $2 50@3 00; do pale, $1 00 @2 50; Mink, dark northern, 25c@$1 25, pale, 25c@$1; Muskrat, 10c; Otter, prime, dark, $1 75@3 50; Sea Otter, $35 @$40 00; Coon, 12½c; Wolf, black, $1 50@2 00; do grey, 50c@1 00; Wild Cat, 25c; Skunk, 12½c, Fur Seal, $1 50@2 50; Beaver, dark, per lb, 75@80c; Bear, black, $2 00@5 00; do brown, $2 00@2 50, Cat, 25c.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN FRUITS.			
Oranges per doz	1 00	Shoulders, country cut	9
Lemons per doz	1 50@2 00	" Butcher's and packer's	11
Green—		" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	13@14
Apples	none	Cheese—Cal. per lb	25
Pears, per box	$1 50@2 00	Cheese, Oregon	20@25
Dried—		Eggs fresh per doz	30@37½
Pears, per lb	8@10c	Honey per lb	25@30
Apples, per lb	7@10	Lard, choice, per lb	18
Peaches per lb	none	10 lb leaf tins	18
Plums, pitless	20@25	Butter—	
" with pits	12½	Choice fresh roll	30@37½
Figs, Cal per lb	25@30	Good	20@25
" Smyrna	25@30	Ordinary	18
Prunes, in bulk	14@20	Common, per lb	15
" in jars and tins	35@40	Flour—per sack	
GROCERIES.		Imperial	1 62
Coffee—		Standard	1 62
Green C. R. per lb	22	Vaughn's	1 50
" Java	27@30	McIntosh's	1 50
Jones' prepared, Rota		Salem, XXX	1 50
Java	25@30	City Mills	1 50
Chartres	35	Other brands	1 25@1 37½
Rio	30	POULTRY, GAME, &c.	
Sugar—Crushed	18	Turkeys each	$1 25@2 00
Pulverized	18	Chickens, doz.	4 00@6 00
Golden C	15	" spring	$3 50@4 00
Granulated	16½	Puget Sound Cod	7½
Yellow C	15	Salt Salmon, per lb	4
Islands	12½@15	VEGETABLES.	
Syrup in kegs per gal	1 00	Beets per lb	4
Tea—Young Hyson	$1 25	Carrots, per lb	4
Imperial	$1 25	Onions per lb	4
Old	$1 25	Turnips, [illegible]	[illegible]
Gun Powder	$1 75	Potatoes per bushel	[illegible]
Japan	$1 25	Potatoes, new Oreg. per lb	1½
Black	75@1 25	Cabbage, per doz	$1 [illegible]
PROVISIONS.		Sweet potatoes	none
Hams, country cut	16	Parsnips per doz bunches	25
" Butcher's	16@20	Celery, per doz	none
" Butcher's and Packers (Sug' Cured		Cauliflower	$2 [illegible]
Smith, Brasfield & Co's	22	Green Peas	4 to 5c
Bacon, breakfast & rib	18	Radishes, per doz bunches	25
	15	Green Beans,	6 to 7c
		Green Corn	30@37½

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Beef cattle, $6 00 per cwt net.
SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, $2 00@2 50 per head
PORK—6c per lb.
VEAL CALVES—Spring, 7@8c per lb

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Dec. 9, 1869. dtf N. W. SPAULDING.

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☞ Correspondents will please inform DR. GIBBON that they read his advertisement in the *Daily Oregonian*. jy6d&plf

Notice

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: I will pay no debts contracted by Catharine Sheierman, my wife from this date, she having left my house without cause and deserted me. WILLIAM SHEIERMAN.
Dalles City, Oregon, July 15, 1870. jy15daw1m

Foundries.

SMITH BRO.'S IRON WORKS!
First St., bet. Main and Salmon,
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MANUFACTURE STEAM ENGINES, MILL MACHINERY of all kinds, IRON and BRASS CASTINGS, FORGINGS and PATTERNS, of all descriptions;

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Legal.

Notice to Stockholders of the "Oregon Central Railroad Company" of Portland, Oregon.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Directors of the "Oregon Central Railroad Company" of Portland, Oregon, duly called and legally held at the office of the Company, in Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, July ninth (9th), A. D. 1870, at six o'clock P. M., the following Resolution was duly and regularly adopted:

Resolved, That a meeting of the Stockholders of this Company be and the same is hereby called to be held at the office of this Company, in the city of Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, the (13th) thirteenth day of August, A. D. 1870, at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering the propriety of, and authorizing the dissolution of this corporation, the settling of its business, disposing of its property, and dividing the capital stock, also for the purpose of electing five Directors, to serve until the next annual election, and until their successors are elected and qualified, also for the purpose of transacting any other business that may then be lawfully brought before such meeting; and, the President of this Company is hereby instructed to give notice of this meeting by publication for thirty days in THE DAILY OREGONIAN and daily *Herald* of Portland, Oregon, and for at least three issues in each, of THE WEEKLY OREGONIAN and Weekly *Herald*, said newspapers being published in the city of Portland, Oregon."

Therefore all Stockholders in the Oregon Central Railroad Company of Portland, Oregon, are hereby notified and requested to appear at the office of such company in the city of Portland, Oregon, on Saturday, the thirteenth (13th) day of August, A. D. 1870, at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of attending to the transaction of the business specified in the foregoing Resolution, and also, any other business that may then be brought before such meeting of Stockholders.

By order of the Board of Directors.
J. GASTON,
President Oregon Central Railroad Co.
Portland, July 11, 1870. jy12d29tw31

Sale of Road Stock.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN ACCORDance with the By Laws of the Oregon Central Military Road Company I shall proceed to sell at the auction house of A. B. Richardson, in the city of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following shares of the Capital Stock of the Oregon Central Military Road Company, standing on the books of the Company in the names of the following persons:

No. Shares.	Names.	No. Certificate.			Am't due
2	M. M. Crow	16	part of one assessm't		$75 00
1	B. Small	21	"	"	37 00
2	S. H. Saylor	53	"	"	125 00
2	C. J. Hills	64	"	two "	176 00
1	S. W. Crowder	62	"	three "	100 00
1	J. B. Gilliam	65	"	eight "	237 50
1	Fred. Warner	86	"	one "	63 72
12	A. G. Hovey	93a3	"	"	750 00
2	G. B. Curry	114		six "	375 00
1	W. B. Pengra	104		one "	62 50
3	S. Ellsworth	16		four "	275 00

Said stock will be sold to pay the assessment due thereon as above set forth from the persons named above, and the costs and expenses of sale.

Said sale will be held at the place specified on Saturday, the 13th day of August next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day. J. B. UNDERWOOD,
Secretary Oregon Central Military Road Company.
Portland, July 11, 1870. jy11d30t 36 21

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREgon, for the County of Multnomah. In the matter of the estate of Patrick Daly, deceased. Notice of sale of real property.—Notice is hereby given, that, by virtue of an order of sale of real property, duly issued by the said County Court of Multnomah county and State of Oregon, on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1870, at the regular July term of said Court, Hon. E. Hamilton, County Judge, presiding, directing me, the undersigned administrator of said estate, to proceed thereunder to sell the real property hereinafter mentioned, in the manner provided by law for sales of like property on execution, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for United States gold coin, payable on the day of sale, at the Court House door, in said county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, between the hours of nine (9) o'clock in the morning and four (4) o'clock in the evening, to wit: at two (2) o'clock in the afternoon, on Saturday, the sixth (6th) day of August, A. D. 1870, the following described real property, to wit: "The east one half of Block numbered one hundred and forty five (145) in East Portland, in the county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, belonging to said estate, and consisting of lots Nos. 5, 6, 7 and 8, in said block No. 145." Said real property will be sold in separate lots, beginning with lot no 5 and continuing in the order of the number of the lots.

THOMAS RYAN,
Administrator of the estate of Patrick Daly, dec'd.
Dated July 14, A. D. 1870. jy15 3t
ALANSON SMITH, Attorney for the Administrator.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREgon for the County of Multnomah, ss.—Summons. H. Pittock, plaintiff vs. James P. O. Lownsdale, Ida Squires and others, defendants.

To Ida Squires, defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; and whereas an order for the publication of this Summons has been made by Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge of said Court, you are required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the first day of the next term of said Court, which will be on the 14th day of November, 1870 the complaint will be taken as confessed against you, and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, which is that you be forever barred from setting up any title or claim to the west 45 feet of lot 8 in block 3, in the city of Portland, and for a decree compelling you to convey the same to plaintiff. LOGAN, SHATTUCK, & KILLIN,
jy16d1aw6w Att'ys for Plaintiff.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREgon, for Multnomah county.—SUMMONS.—S. D. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. J. P. O. Lownsdale, Ida Squires and others, Defendants. To Ida Squires, defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the service of this summons upon you, and whereas an order for the publication of this summons has been made by Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge of the above entitled Court, you are required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the first day of the next term of said Court, which will be November 14th, 1870, and if you fail so to answer the complaint will be taken as confessed against you and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein, which is that you be forever barred and precluded from setting up any claim to the East half of Lot 5 in Block 2 and the East 45 feet of Lot 8 in Block 3 in the City of Portland, and for a decree compelling you to convey the same to plaintiff.

LOGAN, SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
jy16d1aw6w Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Multnomah, to me directed, in favor of the First National Bank of Portland, Oregon, and against J. B. Harker and Sarah E. Harker his wife, for the sum of [illegible] principal of the [illegible] and interest [illegible] $[illegible] as attorney's fees and interest and costs, I have this 18th day of July, 1870, levied upon [illegible] half [illegible] of [illegible] Portland [illegible] State of Oregon, with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Therefore by virtue of said execution, on Wednesday the 17th day of August, 1870, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. [illegible] I will sell [illegible] right, title and interest of the said J. B. Harker and Sarah E. Harker his wife, in and to said premises at public auction to the highest bidder therefor [illegible] to satisfy said execution. [illegible] BILLS,
jy18d30t Sheriff of Multnomah County, Oregon.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Whereas the undersigned were duly appointed executrix and executor of the last will and testament of Henry C. Northrup, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1870, and have executed and filed the undertaking and taken the oaths required by law, now therefore notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to present such claims with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at their residence on the corner of Seventh and Montgomery streets, in the city of Portland, in the county of Multnomah aforesaid, for allowance or rejection.

MARTHA A. J. NORTHRUP, Executrix.
LEANDER QUIVEY, Executor.
jy19d4w

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

E Street.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland, until 12 o'clock M. Monday, August 1, 1870, for the improvement of E street, between North Front and North Tenth streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. [illegible]2.

Bids must state opposite the number of each block the price per [illegible] yard for [illegible] the price per lineal foot for sidewalks, crosswalks and [illegible].

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders, properly secured in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into a contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

D. C. LEWIS,
WM. CREE,
JOHN M. BRECK,
Committee on Streets and Public Property.
jy[illegible]

Front and South Front Streets.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, until 12 o'clock M. Monday, August 1, 1870, for the improvement of that part Front and South Front streets lying between Harrison and Porter streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 795.

Bids must state opposite the number of each block the price per cubic yard for excavation and embankment, the price per lineal foot for sidewalks, crosswalks and plank gutters.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders, properly secured in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into a contract therefor, with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

D. C. LEWIS,
WM. CREE,
JOHN M. BRECK,
jy27td Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Third and South Third Streets.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, until 12 o'clock M., Monday, August 1, 1870, for the improvement of that part of Third and South Third Streets lying between Harrison and Caruthers Streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 773.

Bids must state opposite the number of each block the price per cubic yard for excavation and embankment, the price per lineal foot for sidewalks, crosswalks and plank gutters.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders, properly verified, in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, he will upon its being so awarded enter into a contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

D. C. LEWIS,
WM. CREE,
J. M. BRECK,
jy27td Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Morrison Street.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, until 12 o'clock M., Monday, August 1st, 1870, for the re-improvement of Morrison street between First and Second streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 800.

Bids must state opposite the number of each block the price per cubic yard for grading, the price per square yard for laying the Nicolson pavement, the price per lineal foot for sidewalks.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders, properly verified in the sum of five hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder he will upon its being so awarded, enter into a contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

D. C. LEWIS,
WM. CREE,
JOHN M. BRECK,
Committee on Streets and Public Property.
jy2td

North Tenth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No. 818 for the improvement of North Tenth street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 785, on the following described property fronting and abutting upon said North Tenth street, as well as the sum liable for a proportionate share of the cost of improving the intersections of said street with Stark and B streets, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessment
W ½ 87	Raleigh's add'n,	Est. P. Raleigh,	212 00
88 frac lot 1	"	M. P. Bull,	144 00
88	2 "	Est. P. Raleigh,	48 00
W ½ 67	Couch's add'n,	N. Northrup,	153 00
			$557 00

By order of the Common Council.
jy19d10d W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Harrison Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Harrison Street lying between Fifth street and the west line of Eighth street, by grading to the established grade, and laying sidewalks, crosswalks and plank gutters. W. S. CALDWELL,
July 19, 1870. d10d Auditor and Clerk.

Sale at the City Pound.

A YEARLING HEIFER, NOW IN THE CITY Pound, having been duly advertised, according to law, will be sold on Saturday, July 30, at 11 o'clock A. M., unless redeemed by the owner.

PHIL. SAUNDERS, City Marshal.
Portland, July 27, 1870. jy28td

MARSHAL'S SALE.—Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland, dated the 27th day of June, 1870, commanding me to levy upon fractional Lot one in Block eighty-eight in Raleigh's Addition to the city of Portland, and collect an assessment thereon of Eighty-five dollars for the improvement of Stark street, between First and Eleventh streets, I have this day levied upon Lot one in Block eighty-eight in Raleigh's Addition, and on Saturday, the Sixth day of August, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the Court House door, in said city of Portland, Multnomah County and State of Oregon, I will sell said Fractional Lot, one in Block eighty-eight in Raleigh's addition to the highest bidder therefor, to collect the amount of eighty dollars and twenty cents together with cost and expenses of sale, said sale to be for U. S. gold or silver coin.

PHIL. SAUNDERS, City Marshal.
Portland, July 6, 1870. jy6dtd

MARSHAL'S SALE.—Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland, dated the 27th day of June, 1870, commanding me to levy upon Lots 7 and 8 in Block 258, in the city of Portland, and collect an assessment thereon of $381 09, for the improvement of Morrison St. between First and Twelfth Sts., I have this day levied upon Lots 7 and 8 in Block 258, and on Saturday, the sixth day of August, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the Court House door in said city of Portland, Multnomah county and State of Oregon, I will sell said Lots 7 and 8 in Block 258 to the highest bidder therefor, to collect the amount of $[illegible] 83 [illegible] together with costs and expenses of sale, said sale to be for U. S. gold or silver coin. PHIL. SAUNDERS, City Marshal.
Portland, July 6, 1870. jy6dtd

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

DISTRICT OF OREGON, SS.—NOTICE IN BANKruptcy.—Notice is hereby given that there will be a second general meeting of the creditors of S. D. McCauley and Geo. Ginn, Bankrupts, held at the office of W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy, at Portland on the 4th day of August, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day.
July 22, 1870.
B. F. BONHAM,
jy23d2t Assignee.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF ORegon, for Multnomah County.—SUMMONS.—Foster Ney Rivers vs. R. B. [illegible], Plaintiff, vs. James P. O. Lownsdale, Ida Squires and others, defendants. To [illegible] defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served in this county, or if served within any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, and whereas an order for the publication of this summons has been made by Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge of the above entitled court, you are required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the first day of the next term of said court, which will be November 14, 1870, and if you fail to answer the complaint will be taken as confessed against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein, which is that you be forever barred and precluded from setting up any claim to lots (5) five and (6) six in Block (209) two hundred and nine, in the city of Portland, and for a decree compelling you to convey the same to plaintiff.

LOGAN, SHATTUCK & KILLIN,
jy22d1aw6t Att'ys for Plaintiff

PROPOSALS.

REDEMPTION OF STATE BOUNTY BONDS

OFFICE STATE TREASURER,
Salem, July [illegible], 1870.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned at this office, until 12 M., [illegible] 15, 1870, for the surrender of Bounty Bonds issued under the provisions of an "Act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, granting bounties to volunteers of this State enlisted in the service of the United States [illegible] 1864, at the lowest rates not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest amount of bonds. Eighteen thousand dollars now in the Treasury applicable to the redemption of said bonds, [illegible] interest to date of surrender.

Bids to be addressed to
jy[illegible] E. N. COOKE,
State Treasurer.

PROPOSALS
For Furnishing and Delivering the Cut Stone required in the construction of the U. S. Custom-House, Post Office, &c., to be received at Portland, Oregon.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until M. of the eighth day of August 1870 for furnishing and delivering at the site of building at Portland, Oregon, all of the cut stone work, finished and set above the water table, but excluding steps, required for the United States Custom House and Post Office according to the drawings numbered 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and the terms of this advertisement.

The stone required for the building must be of the best quality granite, limestone, sandstone, or other fine stone.

No stone will be considered that has not a thoroughly uniform color, free from iron or other deteriorating substances, and capable of withstanding the action of the elements, and from quarries that have been fully tested by actual use in other buildings.

All of the stones must be of bright and uniform color, free from sap or rifts, or any other defects, and must be sound in every particular. They must be cut fully square and true out of wind, sharp and clean at the arrises, and of the dimensions required by the drawings. If defects are screened or concealed by the finishing, or composition, such stones as are so treated will be rejected, as will also all stones which have been defaced in boxing or during transportation by [illegible], grease, or in any other manner.

Each bid must be accompanied by a sample block, showing on its sides various grades of cutting applicable to the quality of the stone, and in all embraced in the proposition; and the work to be done must be fully equal to the sample of the patterns selected. Delivery will be made at such times and in such quantities as may be required.

The work must be as described herein, and in accordance with the drawings before referred to, and will include all work and material [illegible] for the building of the cut stone work ready to set.

The work must be done in strict accordance with the elevations and sections, and the bonding will be as thorough, to the satisfaction of the [illegible] whether it be distinctly shown on the drawings or not. Lewis holes are not required to be drilled by the contractor, and such lewis holes as may [illegible] for the convenience will not be allowed for. The [illegible] trimming necessary to fit the ashlar of other [illegible] be charged to the contractor, as the stone [illegible] feet, ready to set when delivered.

The ashlar will be back [illegible] window dressings, as shown on the drawings. The [illegible] the job must be done to the satisfaction of the Superintendent and the approval of the [illegible] or his agent.

Proposals must be made for the whole of the stone, and all bids must be made on the printed form, and accompanied by the bond of two responsible sureties in the sum of ten thousand ($10,000) dollars that the bidder will accept and perform the contract [illegible] bond to be approved by the United States [illegible] or Clerk of the United States Court, of the district in which the bidder resides.

The Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if it be deemed for the interest of the Government to do so; and any bid that does not conform in any respect to the requirements of this advertisement will not be considered. Plans may be seen and forms of proposals may be procured on application to this office.

Payments to be made monthly, upon [illegible] acceptance of the stone, by the [illegible] retaining ten per cent. until the final completion of the contract.

Proposals must be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposals for Cut Stone Work for United States Post Office and Custom-House, Portland, Oregon," and will be addressed to
jy1did E. [illegible], Sup't [illegible]

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